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FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., MAY 29, 1890.

NEWS AND COMMENT.

W. S. WHITTED, of North Carolina, has been admitted as a Cadet at the United States Naval Academy, having passed the mental and physical examinations.

THE work on the Governor's Mansion at Raleigh is steadily progressing; and, when completed, the building will be a handsome lodging-place for the State's Chief Magistrate.

THE decision of the Supreme Court in the case of TEAGUE *vs.* BOYER, from Forsyth county, has been rendered in favor of Boyer—a triumph for not only the Democratic party but good government in that county.

Col. W. P. CANADY's resignation of the position of Sergeant-at-arms of the United States Senate is on account of the demands of "private business." He don't want to be a candidate for Congress again, we suppose.

No delegate in the General Assembly at Asheville wielded greater influence or took a higher stand in the deliberations of that learned and scholarly body than the retiring moderator, Rev. Dr. H. G. HILL, of North Carolina, former pastor of the Presbyterian Church of this city.

THE Continued outrages upon humanity by the Russian autocracy are filling the world with Nihilistic sympathizers; but the spectacle of gentle, humane, immaculate England turning the whites of its eyes outward in horror of the Czar's atrocities is particularly edifying.

MESSRS. H. C. WALL and T. C. GUTHRIE, who have recently purchased the Rockingham *Rocket* from Mr. KNIGHT, are permitting no diminution in the excellence of that sterling newspaper. Conducted as it now is—clean and wholesome in tone, able in the enunciation and advocacy of its principles, and watchful and appreciative of the interests of its people, it should have the hearty support of all that section of the State.

THE House of Representatives was never, in its most decorous days, a model of dignity and correctness of deportment—by no means a training-school for political "Turveydrops;" but latterly it has rivaled in disorder the French Assembly in the days of the Commune. Who can wonder at it? REED has attempted to run that branch of Congress at his own sweet will—and the "worm will turn."

SINCE Chicago annexed its neighboring towns, and made a showing of about 1,100,000 inhabitants, it has been thought that it would take second place in point of population among the cities of the New World. Philadelphia, however, is not yet prepared to concede this place to Chicago. The people of that city confidently expect to increase their score of a little less than 900,000 in 1880 by at least 200,000, so that the contest will be close.

JUST the ordinary conversation with chance acquaintances is sufficient to evoke the universal sentiment on one political matter which will be developed in the approaching campaign in North Carolina. However candidates may stand on other questions, Democratic voters will not send men to the General Assembly who are not in favor of reelecting VANCE to the United States Senate—not if they know it, and they will take some pains to know something about it.

THERE is no danger that QUAY will lose his prestige in his party, or that there will be any falling off in his present paramount influence. Bad as his methods are, and utterly unscrupulous as the man is in the use of means for the attainment of his ends, he is at least free of the political crime of ingratitude, and he is a good man to follow, so far as pickings and stealings are concerned. It would be rather a mawkish pretense of virtue—a repudiation of QUAY by the party that could not only stomach but smack its lips over HAYES and "blocks of five" DUDLEY.

"IT is very unfortunate for any man to acquire the reputation of being a 'funny man.' Nothing has ever been said of our own beloved VANCE that has injured him more than the reputation of being 'funny.' People will scarcely believe a 'funny' man capable of being anything else. He must usually surrender all else to this flattering yet dangerous reputation." And yet we do not recollect ever having heard VANCE tell a laughable anecdote, or witnessed him assume the *role* of the "funny man," deliberately and in cold blood. His humor always has a purpose, and a good purpose; he simply accentuates his great speeches by his sparkling jokes, for the purpose of emphasizing and enforcing his argument. Withal, no one can deny that when VANCE is "funny" he is *very* funny—there is nothing forced or commonplace about his wit.

"FEW of the Congressmen speaking under the five-minute rule have managed to crowd more logic and sarcasm into their speeches than did Mr. MCCLAMMY, of North Carolina. From the Democratic standpoint the North Carolina Congressman pointed out the vulnerable points in the pending measure, and he did it in a manner which cannot fail to impress on the minds of those who read his remarks that it is indeed hard to frame a tariff measure which is not open to sectional objection." The able Washington *Post* doubtless does no more than simple justice to the talented and aggressive Representative of the 3rd Congressional District. The measure was vulnerable from head to heel, its whole armor gaping with points to be pierced through and through by the irrefragable arguments of a thoughtful economist. We are sincerely rejoiced at its passage; it is only another "petard" for the Republican party.

LATEST NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

The State Firemen's Association will hold its next annual convention in Durham. —The McKinley tariff bill was voted on in the House on Thursday last and passed, together with all of the committee amendments with one or two exceptions; the vote on the final passage was—yeas 164, nays 142; there was much applause on both sides, that of the Democrats being derisive; there was a great deal of noise and confusion in the House during the session. —A terrible tragedy is reported from Jessup, Ga.; a husband finding a visitor at his house in a compromising position with his wife, rushed into the room and shot both of them; the wife was instantly killed by a shot over the left eye; the guilty man was shot four times and lived only a few hours. —A delegation of the Pan-American Congress visited the grave of Gen. Stonewall Jackson and the mausoleum of Gen. Lee, in Lexington, Va.; one of the delegates said he had reached one of the greatest desires of his visit—to pay respect to the memory of two great Confederate Generals, whom he and his people greatly respected. —Col. W. P. Canaday, of North Carolina, the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, tendered his resignation of the position, to take effect June 30th next; the resignation is on account of personal business demanding his attention. —Wm. E Anderson, president of the Citizens' National Bank of Raleigh, and a leading citizen of the State and city, died suddenly in the bank, of heart failure. —Messrs. Bynum and Bragard are building a cotton factory in Washington to cost $100,000. —Larger shipments of strawberries and truck have been made from Clinton this season than ever before. —Lemuel Bryan was assassinated near Raleigh one night last week by unknown parties. —The regular annual meeting of the North Carolina State Board of Dental Examiners will be held in Wilmington on Tuesday, June 24th. —The programme for the second day of the Mecklenburg celebration was fully carried out. The reel-race took place in the morning between the companies from Raleigh, Greensboro, Monroe, Durham and Charlotte. The Monroe company won the first prize of $100 in thirty and a half seconds. Durham got the second prize of $25 in the grab race. Charlotte won the first prize, with Monroe as second. —A letter from Chicago states that A. B. Andrews and Thomas B. Keogh have been appointed commissioners from this State to the World's Fair, with Elias Carr and G. A. Bingham as alternates. —Search is in progress for Thomas Hickman, a light mulatto, and a young white girl with whom he has eloped from Stokes county. —There is much excitement at Goldsboro, caused by the sudden disappearance of fifteen boys without any notice to their parents. Inquiries have been made, and as a result it is discovered that a white man who is from Georgia has induced the boys to go South with him, leave their parents, and work for themselves. No news can be had as to their whereabouts. —David S. Cofrode, a well known contractor and bridge builder, died at his home in West Philadelphia. He built nearly all the bridges for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. —Kate Kane, of Chicago, was on motion of Col. Rob't Ingersoll admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of the United States. —The Missouri Railroad Commissioners have decided that the practice must be abandoned of collecting extra fare from passengers who fail to buy tickets. —The recent rains have flooded the basements of many Chicago houses. —The wife and daughter of President Hall, of Clark University, were suffocated by illuminating gas at Worcester, Mass. The accident was due to a leaking burner. —The Prohibition Convention at Lexington, Ky., favored woman suffrage, and nominated Mrs. Josephine K. Henry, of Versailles, for clerk of the court of appeals. —A dispatch from Detroit says that a portion of the lungs of President Garfield were taken at the time of the autopsy, and cut up and distributed among microscopists. —An attempt will be made in autumn to cultivate American and other cotton in the Crimea and other places on the Black Sea coast. —James Butler, while plowing on his farm at Ipswich, Mass., turned up an Indian idol of stone in the shape of a serpent, which is regarded as an undoubted relic of the stone age, and will be deposited in the Essex institute collection at Salem.—The international prisons congress will open in St. Petersburg on Monday, June 16th. —Oliver Bell Bunce, the well known author and editor of Appleton's publications, is dead.—Ex-Senator Charles W. Jones, of Florida, was adjudged insane and committed to St. Joseph's Retreat, near Detroit, by Probate Judge Durfee. —Gov. Campbell, of Ohio, is seriously ill. —The millers of southern Illinois and eastern Missouri have formed a trust and will operate the sixteen mills as one, thus controlling the price of flour in the south and southwest. —In his annual message Governor Nichols appeals to the Louisiana Legislature to wipe out a standing disgrace to the State by refusing to recharter the Louisiana Lottery Company. —Miss Ida Ladd created a sensation among the Shaker society of Franklin, Ky., of which she was a member, by marrying R. A. Fairtrace, of Pittsburg, Pa. The couple never met until the day before the wedding, and their union was the result of a matrimonial advertisement in a Cincinnati paper. —An Iowa District Court Judge ignores the decision of the U. S. Supreme Court relative to the sale of intoxicating liquors of any kind, and instructs the grand jury to take cognizance of all violations of the State law. —Col. Joseph A. Branner, principal owner of Asheville Female College, died on the 21st inst. —J. M. Shellenberger, of Doylestown, Penn., a lawyer, who was convicted of forgery and other crimes, has been sentenced to twenty-two years' imprisonment in the penitentiary; the prisoner broke down completely when the sentence was pronounced, and had to be carried from the court room. —Miss Mary Lee, the eldest daughter of the late General R. E. Lee, arrived at New York on the 22nd inst., from Europe. —The explosion of a dynamite cartridge tore to pieces both hands of a youth named Moore, of Reidsville, and injured his sister in the eye. The boy was playing with the cartridge, which was of the kind used in blasting in wells. —Electricity is now used in lighting the asylum for the colored insane at Goldsboro. The directors of the asylum at Raleigh contemplate its use. —Very great pressure will be brought to bear upon the Legislature to secure the enactment of a law excluding non-residents from the benefits of the vast oyster-beds in this State, so as to confine the trade to the people of North Carolina. —A great number of young shad have been placed in streams in Sampson county by the United States Fish Commission.

Sam Jones and Dr. Pritchard.

For the Observer.]

EDS OBSERVER: In your paper of May 15th there is an article headed "Rev. Dr. Pritchard on Sam Jones." This, to me, seems a rather extraordinary production for a man of Dr. Pritchard's standing. Granting that Mr. Jones uses words not to be indorsed at all times, Dr. Pritchard uses other words to express the same thing. For instance: Sam says "Hog;" Dr. Pritchard writes "Vulgarian;" Sam looks right into a man's face and says, if you do so and so, you are a "Hound;" the Doctor writes to a paper Sam Jones never sees: "you are a blackguard."

Now, Messrs. Editors, I do not wish to discuss Sam Jones. I have never seen or heard him. I have just read garbled reports of his sermons in the daily papers—just like Dr. Pritchard has—but, with your permission and for the sake of fair play, I wish you to publish the following article clipped from last week's Nashville *Advocate*.

Yours Truly,
Jas. M. Lamb.

REV. SAM P. JONES IN TYLER, TEXAS.

I am now looking at the work thirty days after the meeting closed. And from this standpoint I feel authorized to say that I have never known a more genuine work. I have never witnessed a more powerful revival. This is no hasty conclusion. I have been watching the effect of the meeting upon the community, and it requires no sage to discern the difference before he came and since he came. Before he came the whisky element was domineering and defiant—but now it is being so closely pursued by the officers of the law that it at once becomes hard for these violators of every good way to escape justice. Before he came worldliness had brought blight upon all the Churches—but now this most subtle of all sins has received such a check that every pastor in the city can say, truly, that "the times of refreshing have come from the presence of the Lord." Some of the most popular amusements in the city have become decidedly unpopular since he came and preached so uncompromisingly against these things. The whole tone of moral and religious sentiment has been strengthened and elevated. There is less swearing on the streets, less drinking in the saloons. The wine suppers, punch bowls, card-parties, are looked upon with utter abhorrence by many who before he came were devotees at these cursed altars. Members of the Church who were too delicate to attend more than one service a week are now sufficiently strong and religious to come to all the services. The social meetings are well attended. The class-meeting is revived. A Young Men's Christian Association is organized, and doing some good work. The pastors of the different Churches speak with more boldness and more directness concerning the evils that blot and blur the face of society. The Churches have become healthy enough to administer wholesome discipline. The fruits of the meeting are seen in the numbers that vowed a better life. Methodism has received one hundred and sixteen new members, other Churches eighty-nine. For all purposes—including expenses of building tabernacle, compensating Brother Jones for his work, the new church in process of erection, and the training-school represented by Miss Belle Bennett—there were raised $17,520. Amen and Amen!

Rev. Sam P. Jones is a man of God—doing the work of an evangelist. His co-laborer, Rev. Geo. Stewart, of Centenary College, Tenn., is mighty in word and in deed. He is a man of culture, of refinement, a man full of faith and the Holy Ghost. The people here listened to him with great delight. These men came, they saw, they conquered.

D. F. C. TIMMONS.

Tyler, Texas, April 8, 1890.

Montgomery County Green Scamps.

Troy Vidette.]

We learn from Col. Jordan that Little River township is cursed with a lot of green scamps, and that they were taken in recently to the amount of about $900 by what are known as the "green goods men" of New York. These New York sharks took them in by first sending them circulars in which they agreed to prove their sincerity by sending samples of their so-called spurious greenbacks which they would sell at $1,000 for $100 of genuine money. This made them bite, and they were sent several bills, which of course turn out to be genuine. Then by mortgages and otherwise they raised, first $300, so we are told, and one of their number lit out for New York. He returned in a few days, and reported the New York concern a fraud, and that he had lost the $300. But the others would not believe him—thought he was joking—so two other "greenies" gathered up $600 more they had raised and went to New York, disposed of their money, obeyed orders, and when they reached Greensboro, on their return home, there opening their grip-sack as they had been instructed to do, discovered wads of worthless paper and trash. This is a disgrace to our county, and we believe that if there is no law now on our statute books to reach such dangerous rascals who are only prevented from committing crime and fraud upon their neighbors by being the victims of fraud themselves, there should be, for they are certainly guilty of intentional crime and deserve punishment.

Alaska.

There are no snakes in Alaska—because, perhaps, no snakes would live there. The only frog ever discovered there by explorers was found by a party some years ago. Probably, however, there is no part of the world where mosquitoes are more dreadful than in Alaska. The soil is of a soft and spongy character, holding water for days after a rain, and the insects are bred out of it in such swarms that it is hardly possible for man or any other animal to exist among them. They attack the moose with such ferocity as to drive the maddened beasts into the river, where the natives attack them with knives. Bears and reindeer are plentiful in Alaska. Perhaps the worst part of the country is that to the northwest, south of the Yukon river—crossed but once by a party of explorers, who nearly starved to death.

Bringing It Down Fine.

One of the managers of a big Eastern knitting-mill has made a calculation that the shoe-strings of a working-girl will come untied on an average three times a day, and that a girl will lose 50 seconds every time she stoops to re-tie them. As the employees are supposed to be provided with two feet apiece, this entails a loss of 300 seconds every day for each girl. There are 400 girls employed in the factory, and the manager finds that 43,800,000 seconds are wasted—which time, at the average rate of wages, is worth $943.17. Orders have accordingly been issued that girls must wear only button-shoes or Congress gaiters, under penalty of discharge.

Papa, what is a green grocer?
He's a grocer who tries to sell sugar without sand in it.

Do Heads Grow with Advancing Age?

London Lancet.]

Some amusing letters have appeared in a daily contemporary in regard to an alledged steady increase in the size of Mr. Gladstone's head, which, it is said, is rendered magnificent by a progressive enlargement in the size of the hat required to cover it. The correspondence exhibits an extraordinary ignorance of well ascertained facts; for, if there is one thing which would be acknowledged by all anatomists and physiologists, it is that the nervous system, like other parts of the body, undergoes atrophy with advancing age, an atrophy that prevades every tissue, and is as apparent in the thinning of the vocal cords that alters the voice to "childish treble" as in the shrunken shanks for which the "youthful hose, well-saved, are a world too wide." No reason can be assigned why the brain should escape the general change that affects the digestive and the circulatory systems alike. Its attributes and faculties attain their highest excellence at or before mid-age, and from that time forth exhibit only a steady decline. To compare Mr. Gladstone with Napoleon, respecting whom a similar story is related, is absurd. The head of Napoleon may have grown between twenty and forty-five, because his brain was greatly exercised during the last years of the past century and the first ten of the present; but no calls have been made on Mr. Gladstone of late years at all comparable to the strain on the mental and bodily powers of the French emperor during that eventful period. The ossification of the sutures of the cranium practically prevents increase of the volume of the brain in advanced life; and, even granting some slight increase, such increase would be compensated by the attenuation of the cranial bones, which is well-known to occur in old age. A change in form there may be but none in size.

A Blow to Prohibition.

N. Y. Herald.]

The opinion rendered by the United States Supreme Court yesterday, as we understand its meaning and effect from the synopsis sent by telegraph, materially restricts the power of a State to prohibit the liquor traffic. It has never been supposed that a State could constitutionally prohibit the importation into its own territory of liquors or any other commodity from another State or a foreign country. But it has been supposed that a State might regulate or prohibit the sale within its own borders of the liquor or anything else brought from any quarter.

The Supreme Court now decides, as we understand its decision, that the right to import implies the right to sell, and that the State has no power to prohibit the importer from selling the original packages. Such legislation the Court holds would be an interference with interstate commerce, in violation of the federal constitution.

According to this ruling any one in a prohibition State may not only import from another State beer in kegs, wine in bottles or whiskey in flasks, but he may sell them in the original packages in spite of the prohibition law. We do not understand that any one but the importer may sell them or that he may sell otherwise than in the original packages.

This principle, we believe, is now expressly affirmed by the Court for the first time. Three of the justices—Gray, Harlan and Brewer—dissent. They maintain that in the exercise of its police power a State may regulate or prohibit the sale of all liquors within its borders, no matter where they came from.

It is plain that the prohibitionists will now find it more difficult than ever to enforce their doctrine.

Her First Sale.

A young girl had tried hard for a long time to get a position in one of the leading dry goods houses in Boston. Finally her persistency was rewarded by the promise of a trial. She was put at a handkerchief counter during a "bargain sale." The first morning she was there a gentleman came by, and stopped at the handkerchief counter, looking carelessly at the goods and the prices which were marked on each box. She did not wait for him to ask for anything special, but immediately drew his attention to some handkerchiefs which were really a fine bargain. He did not seem inclined to buy, but she was so interested to made the sale, and talked so intelligently about them, that the customer took half a dozen of the handkerchiefs. When Saturday night came and she was paid her salary, she received a sum in advance of that which had been promised her. She took it at once to the head of the department, thinking there might be some mistake, but she was assured that it was all right.

"Do you remember selling half dozen handkerchiefs to one gentleman the first morning you were here?"

"Why, yes, I remember it," she replied, "but what has that got to do with it?"

"Simply this. That was the head of the firm, and he was so pleased that he inquired about you, and said that any girl who could sell his own goods to a proprietor was worth a good salary and a steady place, so he ordered you put on the roll at the wages I have just given you with a promise of a rise as soon as possible.

Origin of "O. K."

Some industrious hunter is attempting to discover the origin of the term "O. K." Seba Smith asserted that President Jackson marked his State papers with these letters as a signification of his endorsement. It is said also that they were used by John Jacob Astor as initials of what he supposed was the correct spelling. The letters were used by Old Keokuk, the peaceful chief of the Sacas and Foxes. When he sold Iowa to the Government he signed the deed with his initials, O. K. He was the first person to use the letters on a paper to show that it was all right. Still another explanation is that in early colonial days a very excellent brand of tobacco came from the (then) French town of Aux Cayes, in Santa Domingo. In course of time any good tobacco came to be known as Aux Cayes tobacco, and finally the words came to be corrupted into the two letters whose sound they resemble, to denote anything of superior quality.

Collected the Bill.

A well-known dentist tried hard to collect a bill, but after many ineffectual efforts said to the debtor: "I do not intend to send you any more bills, and I don't intend to sue you; but there is one thing I want to tell you. Every time you cut off a piece of beefsteak and pass it to your wife, I want you to remember that she is not chewing the beef with *her* teeth, nor *your* teeth, but with *my* teeth." In two or three days he received a check. The mention of those doubly false teeth in his wife's mouth was too much for him.

"Sendin' Mariah ter ther finishin' school wuz all nonsense," said the old man, as Maria went into the parlor to meet her visitor. "Here's that young Foster been callin' here fer six months, and she ain't been able ter finish him yet."

The Queen's Domestic Life.

Of all the principal courts of Europe that of England is the simplest, and yet the household maintained by the Queen consists of over 1,000 persons. The discipline is strict and admirably carried out. The Queen pays the highest salaries paid at any court, and in return exacts the most unswerving integrity, the greatest discretion and most faithful service. For her household expenses the Queen receives a yearly grant of $2,250,000.

Her habits are very quiet and unostentatious. She rises at 8 A. M., and her breakfast consists of a dish of oatmeal, some fish and a cup of cocoa. The lords and ladies in waiting, thirty-five in number, breakfast in the most sumptuous style, and it is principally for these important personages that the following kitchen staff is maintained: One kitchen clerk, a chief, six cooks and fourteen helpers and store-keepers.

At 10 o'clock her Majesty receives her letters and news. In accordance with strict court etiquette the Queen is not expected to handle a single newspaper, magazine or periodical; neither does she receive any written communication, except family letters. The newspapers are read through by one of the secretaries to the Private Secretary, who makes cuttings of any news likely to interest her Majesty, and these are fastened to a sheet of silk and laid upon the table.

Dinner at the palace is served at 7 o'clock, and the setting and arranging of the table is a most artistic performance, and occupies about two hours. For this service a table-decker is maintained at $1,000, who occupies a suite of rooms in the palace, and three assistant deckers, besides a wax-fitter to arrange the candles, and three lamplighters to light them.

The Queen enters the dining-room preceded by the head usher bearing the White Wand, the symbol of the "royal command," and without which no Queen's messenger can appear in the House of Lords to transact any affairs of State. During dinner the proceedings are frequently enlivened by the presence of the Queen's piper, who marches round the table discoursing music more or less sweet.

The Queen retires at 10 o'clock, excepting on special occasions, when she retires as early as she can manage to without disturbing her visitors. There are eight Ladies of the Bedchamber, who serve by turns, a fortnight at a time. These ladies are all of the highest families, and rarely rank under a Duchess. There are besides eight bedchamber women, also persons of quality, who readily do the work of ladies' maids and receive $1,500 a year. These women serve by turns in couples a month at a time.

"Speak Like You Do When You Laugh."

A baby of three years once preached me a sermon, and I pass it on for the benefit of other downcast and despondent ones who need to learn to "rejoice evermore."

"How is the baby?" I asked drearily, standing at the foot of the staircase leading up to the chamber where the little one lay ill. I was tired, unhopeful; my mood came out in my tone.

"Peak like you do when you laugh," called the weak little voice up-stairs; and if I ever felt rebuked by an angel that was the moment. It has come up to me a hundred times since; and I hope I am the brighter and cheerier for it.

"Speak like you do when you laugh." That means sparkle with gladness and good-will. The fretful lines at the mouth-corners don't come from laughing. The weary ones around the eyes have another origin. But the plainest outward sign of despondency is that in the tone. The sick feel it; that is why "visitors are forbidden." Little children are infallible weather prophets; they will not "take to" you. And you and I—just common working men and women, neither sick nor young nor old, but busy and often tired—we love —yes, that is the word—we love the bright, loving, laughing, happy voice. "Speak like you do when you laugh."

The Betel Nut.

New York Dispatch.]

The betel nut, of which the Malays are said to be very fond, is a white nut which looks almost like ivory. Every family without an exception has a box divided into several compartments, and the drawer at the bottom containing a pair of shears. In one of the compartmeats of the box is some betel nut, cut fine with the shears; in another several sirile leaves; in the next some slacked lime made from coral shells, and in the last some fine tobacco. At midday, which is the dinner hour, the family assemble and squat in a circle on mats which do duty for chairs. In the centre is a bowl of rice and another of curry. Each one takes a handful of rice in turn, dips it into the curry, and conveys it to his mouth without spilling a crumb. To do this gracefully is the height of Malay etiquette. After all have finished, the betel box makes its appearance and is handed around. Each person takes one of the sirile leaves, which are five inches long and arrow-shaped, and lays it out flat on the palm of his left hand. Then he takes a little betel nut, puts some of the lime upon it, adds a small quantity of tobacco, and then rolls the whole up together. Then he places it in his mouth, holding it by his front teeth, never chewing it by his side teeth as Americans do tobacco.

English Royal Robes.

In a secluded spot in Westminister Abbey, in careful keeping, are preserved some of the effigies of our Kings and Queens that, according to old custom, formed part of the pageantry of their State funerals. Some of the very oldest, perhaps, of Plantagenet times are stripped of their robes; but some others that are not much more than 200 years old are still invested with the antique clothing with which they were made to represent the forms of the royal dead to their sovereign lieges. As a realization of history, teeming as our ancient churches are with testimony, these relics must be regarded with surpassing interest. They are memorials of seasons in which the land was stricken with a great awe, and no man knew what the day might bring forth.

Defective Eyesight.

Opticians and oculists say that belfry and steeple clocks are absolutely useless to at least a third of those for whose benefit they are set up. Perhaps less than two-thirds of the men, women and children who pass the city hall can read the dial of the clock up in the cupola. In many instances such defect of the eyes is unsuspected in children, and probably hundreds of children earn at school a reputation for stupidity, when not the intellect but the eyes are at fault.

His Interest Explained.

Mamma was ill that day, and when little Tommy declared that he would not go to school, but would stay with her, she was deeply touched by this proof of his sympathy and tenderness.

"It is very kind of you to stay with poor, sick mamma," she said. "You want to help me bear the pain, don't you, darling?"

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June 20, 1889. tf

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May 9, 1889. 6m

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Nov. 5, 1889. tf

DR. J. A. HODGES

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☞ Telephonic communication with Horne's Drug Store.

Nov. 8, 1889. 6m

Notice of Sale.

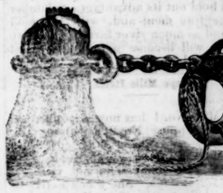
Having this day sold the interest of the late T. W. Broadfoot in the Drug Business, carried on at Hinsdale's corner, to Mr. W. C. McDuffie, Jr., I desire to thank the public for their generous patronage in the past, and to bespeak for Mr. McDuffie a continuance of the same. He is authorized to collect and receipt for all bills due the firm of T. W. Broadfoot & Co. JNO. B. BROADFOOT,
Ex'r of T. W. Broadfoot.

May 1, 1890.

Having purchased the entire Drug Business of T. W. Broadfoot & Co., I am now ready to serve the public, and will use every effort to please both in quality and price of goods.

Thanking our old customers for their liberal patronage and asking for a continuance of the same, I am very respectfully,
W. C. McDUFFIE, JR.

May 8, 1890. tf



The Hawk Eye Grub and Stump Machine will clear two acres of ground at one setting of the machine. Will pull an ordinary stump in one and one-half minutes. A man and boy with a mule or horse can run the machine. It works better in standing timber than with stumps.

S. N. ROCKWELL, State Agent,
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May 15, 1890. 3m

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BEST POLISH FOR FURNITURE.

WE ARE SOLE PROPRIETORS OF THE RECEIPT FOR ITS MANUFACTURE.

None genuine unless obtained from our store or from our duly authorized salesmen, who will call on you and show the merits of our LIGHTNING POLISH, which takes the housekeeper by storm.

It brings to original lustre any furniture, from the finest Rosewood Piano to the cheapest bedstead, and removes all stains and scratches.

A trial will convince the most skeptical.

Call early, as our supply on hand is limited.

Yours respectfully,

ROYALL & BORDEN.

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October 18, 1889.—1y]

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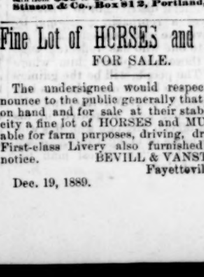

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Best in the world. Examine his
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All made in Congress, Button and Lace.

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Jan'y 2, 1890. 6m

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October 3, 1889. tf

FREE, together with our large and valuable line of **Household Samples**. These samples, as well as the watch, are free. All the work you need do is to show what we send you to those who call—your friends and neighbors and those about you—that already results in valuable trade for us, which results for years when once started, and thus we are repaid. We pay all expenses, freight, etc. After you know all, if you would like to go to work for us, you can earn from $20 to $50 per week and upward. Address, Stinson & Co., Box 912, Portland, Maine.

Fine Lot of HORSES and MULES FOR SALE.

The undersigned would respectfully announce to the public generally that they have on hand and for sale at their stables in this city a fine lot of HORSES and MULES suitable for farm purposes, driving, draying, &c. First-class Livery also furnished at short notice.

BEVILL & VANSTORY,
Fayetteville, N. C.

Dec. 19, 1889. tf

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$3.50 WOVEN WIRE BEDSPRINGS $3.50

FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY.

FORMER PRICE $5.00.

Each spring has ash frames and

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Call early and secure one.

We would be glad if every business man in Fayetteville would call and see our handsome line of

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Remember Cedarine.

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Livery, Sale, Feed and Exchange Stables,

Nice new Turn-outs, new Buggies, new Carriages, new Teams. Carriages always at every Train. Drummers sent in the country at reasonable rates. Special attention given to BOARDING HORSES, doctoring horses, training fast horses or breaking horses, colts, &c.

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Horses, Mules, Buggies and Harness always on hand and for sale.

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Jan'y 9, 1890. tf

W. G. CLARK,
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Choice Fancy and Family Groceries,
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We can furnish you with the Best and also the Cheapest Flours on the Market, and guarantee to give you the most perfect satisfaction for the money

Feb'y 20, 1890. tf

Pearce's Mill and Vineyard for Sale.

That valuable property known as Pearce's Mill and Vineyard is offered for sale. The tract contains 615 acres, of which about 15 acres are in scuppernong grapes in full bearing and in good condition. The vines have yielded 1,000 bushels of grapes in one year.

The mills consist of a saw and grist mill on a never failing stream, two and one half miles from Fayetteville.

There is a comfortable dwelling and suitable outhouses on the premises.

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C. W. BROADFOOT, Att'y.

Fayetteville, N. C., April 24, 1890. tf

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FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

THURSDAY.....MAY 29, 1890.

"KEEP THE BALL IN MOTION."

The enthusiasm aroused all over the district by the announcement of Col. Wharton J. Green's candidacy for Congress shows unmistakably that if coming events cast their shadows before he will bear off the honors at the Clinton Convention, and represent the 3rd district in the 52nd Congress. Col. Green has cut his "eye teeth" in the Congressional harness, and his usefulness to the district would date from his taking the oath of office on the 4th of March, 1891, and this is a fact worth considering. We therefore urge upon the friends of this tried and true son of Cumberland to keep the "ball in motion," and leave no wheels unturned to secure his nomination.

The following articles from the *Farmer and Scottish Chief* and Carthage *Blade* show how well and favorably Col. Green's name has been received out of the district as well as in it:

SANFORD, N. C., May 10, 1890.

MR. EDITOR:—I see by reference to your paper an article complimentary to Hon. W. J. Green, of Cumberland, who is identified with the farmers of this district and especially so in this locality. We are satisfied after mingling with the county people here that he will poll the largest vote of any man in Moore county, as he is the most popular man of any of the candidates named for Congressional honors, and am satisfied there could be no better selection, as he is a high-toned gentleman, and has the farmers' interest at heart, and will do his full duty in Congress in the future as he has in the past. VOTER.

Cross Creek in Farmer and Scottish Chief.]

We advocate Col. Green for more than one reason; his ability, and the influence that he exerted over his colleagues in carrying through his different bills, constitute a true index of his character. The record that he made in Congress stands out today as a living monument of his worth. It has been truthfully said that "experience teaches a dear school;" it has been our observation that the 3rd district has felt most keenly the sad experience of such a school. Now the question is, will we profit by our past experience, or will we continue in the "old beaten track" in sending our representatives but one term to Congress? We advocate Col. Green because he is an ex-Congressman, and thoroughly acquainted with the duties that devolve upon a Representative and therefore more competent to render valuable services. We advocate Col. Green because his make up is composed of those qualifications that will never reflect discredit upon his constituents either in ability or conduct.

THE ERDMAN MEETINGS.

An Able Expositor of Scripture Truth—Impressive Devotional Exercises—Praise to God from the Union Choir and a Responsive Congregation.

The initial Erdman meeting was held at 11 o'clock on Sunday morning in the Tabernacle on Gillespie street, which has been adequately supplied with seats for a very large congregation, furnished with chairs for its greatly enlarged platform, fitted with electric lights, &c. On the raised dais in rear of the speakers are the organ (Miss Annie Lee Rose, Mrs. H. L. Cook and Miss Mary Warwick organists) and the union choir of many excellent voices, led by Mr. H. R. Novitzky The services were opened with hymn 280 (Gospel Seris), followed by a fervent invocation for God's blessing by Rev. C. W. Byrd, of the Hay Street Methodist Church. The choir then beautifully rendered hymn 230, and the large concourse of worshipers bowed in reverent attention to the moving prayer of Rev. T. B. Barclay, pastor of the Presbyterian Church.

Rev. W. J. Edman's discourse—based on 13th verse of the 26th chapter of Acts and other Bible passages—was most impressive, and followed with unflagging attention by an audience numbering 1,000 or more persons.

Before the congregation was dismissed an announcement was made by Rev. T. P. Barclay that morning services at 10 A. M. and evening services at 8:15 P. M. would be continued through the week until the afternoon of to-day, at which time the meeting of the District Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association takes place. Business men were earnestly requested to give one hour each day to these meetings.

The surrender of one half the reading space of the OBSERVER would not suffice to do more than justice to the high intellectual character and sterling merit of the meetings conducted by Rev. W. J. Erdman, expounder of Bible truth and doctrine. Serious indisposition during the the week has prevented our regular attendance; and, in fairness both to Mr. Erdman and our readers, we must content ourselves, for this issue, with an abstract of one or two of the readings—hoping to enjoy and report more fully those which are to follow.

Mr. Erdman is not an evangelist, not an exhorter, not an orator—he is a teacher. His simplicity is as admirable as his grasp of his subject is powerful and his information and research profound. So noble is this simplicity that we should feel a touch of impatience were it marred by rhetorical display. Not that he is not impressive and scholarly:—he is much so—always earnest and convincing, often powerfully moving the listener with the eloquence of a great thought and a great theme.

Tuesday and Wednesday mornings were devoted to the discussion of the Holy Spirit:—poured upon all flesh, upon all the thirsting, and poured from above. But of this blessed spirit there were certainly two outpourings, the second only giving heirship and sonship in God. Regeneration has to do with our entrance *into* a new life, but by redemption we are *made* to become sons of God. The Holy Spirit was a witness—a *personal* witness—a person, even as the God and Christ are persons—testifying to believers of the truth of the Word. The sin against the Holy Ghost presupposed the belief in the devil, the acceptance of the miracles wrought by Christ, and the belief that these miracles were wrought by the aid of the devil. Putting the church and christianity higher in the plane of their esteem than *Christ* was the first sign of a weakness of religious faith in believers. At last, it is faith, living faith, not sight or feeling, which is to be the power working unto salvation.

Before beginning his discourse on Tuesday evening Mr. Erdman said that he had received several written requests to explain certain passages of Scripture. All of these passages but one related to baptism; therefore he did not propose to answer them, not because he could not, but because he was not here for the purpose of discussing doctrine but of teaching the Bible. He had a great many good friends among the Baptists, and a great deal could be said on both sides of the question of baptism. One thing he would say, though: a great number of the English Baptist churches were open communion, while in this country many leading Baptists were for open communion.

A whole book in the Bible was taken up to illustrate Bible study. The book of Hebrews was chosen. To whom was this book addressed? To Jews. To what kind of Jews? Christian Jews—but not Christian Gentiles. With their Old Testament teachings and belief Christian Jews stood in a different light—or not in the light of Christian Gentiles. The Old Testament Jew was a perfect specimen of self-righteousness as developed in the Pharisee. God had permitted the Jews to develop into a nation of self-righteousness; but, after all, they were nothing more than the old Adam. We have in this country today many men and women who, like the old Jew, are building on a self-righteous foundation. God chose the Greeks as a perfect specimen before all the world of worldly wisdom and a people wise in their own conceit. We have in these latter days many men and women (notably in Boston) who are building on a Greek foundation. God permitted the Romans to become the rulers of the world, and stand as a perfect type of boasted human excellence in manliness and governmental executive ability. English and American statesmen furnish to-day many examples of men who have, as their country's saviours and guardians, reached the pinnacle of the old Roman type. And what are all these men and women? Simply developments of the old Adam.

The key word to the book of Hebrews was "better." That is, the Apostle said to Christian Jews: "Show me under the old dispensation a good tabernacle, and under the new I will show you a better; show me a good sacrificial offering for sin, and I will show you a better; show me a good high priest, and I will show you a better," &c. The book of Hebrews was in three divisions: Chapters 1 through 7—chapters 8 to 10-18—chapters 10-19 to 13-25.

1st Division—Jesus our High Priest.

2nd Division—Jesus, offering of the High Priest.

3rd Division—Trials of faith of believers.

The Fife meetings are to begin in the Tabernacle here next Monday night, June 2nd. Everybody invited to attend.

Judge MacRae.

For the Observer.]

MESSRS. EDS:—The time approaches for the renomination of this distinguished gentleman, and it is but little to say that his nomination ought to be made unhesitatingly and by acclamation. No man in North Carolina has done his duty more faithfully, and no one has more thoroughly demonstated his eminent fitness for the office, than James C. MacRae, whose cordial endorsement is now asked by his hosts of friends throughout the State, in many of the judicial districts of which he would receive the nomination without opposition.

His performance of duty entitles him to this endorsement, and the State of North Carolina should not be slow to award the "first meed of praise" to one everywhere conceded, at the mention of his name, to be one of the ablest, purest and best men that ever sat upon the bench in this or any other State.

What is his State reputation? In the convention of 1888, when two Associate Justices of the Supreme Court were nominated, Judge MacRae made no canvass for the position—as he does not now make a canvass for renomination to the district judgeship, deeming it improper to do so—but all eyes had been directed toward him; and, in spite of the fact that he made no personal effort, and that strenuous exertions were made in behalf of others, he received the highest vote given to any man before the convention, except the two who were nominated—a result speaking volumes for his popularity and well-earned reputation as an earnest, upright and fair-minded judge.

Again: the Supreme Court of North Carolina has gone on record in favor of Judge MacRae. On page 1 of volume 100 of the Reports appears the case of Dugger *vs.* McKesson—one of the *causes celebres* of Western North Carolina; a case of long standing, involving complicated questions of law and fact, large interests and contending claimants and factions; its outcome was dreaded by both sides, and its trial delayed for years and years, each party being willing to put off the "clash of arms" which the call of the case was certain to bring about.

Yet it was called for trial before Judge MacRae at the fall term of Catawba Superior Court, in 1888, with such an array of counsel as Morphew, Gudger, Sinclair and Folk, the able and learned jurist. The case was carried by appeal to the Supreme Court upon numerous exceptions—all of which are stated in the opinion, with Judge MacRae's rulings thereon—and the Supreme Court, Chief Justice Smith delivering the opinion, closed the case with the following language: "We reproduce the instructions given at large in order to show their fairness, and the correct exposition of the law by the able judge who presided and conducted the trial, of which no better evidence can be furnished than the failure of the appellants to point out any specific error in it." This, as was said by a distinguished judge now on the Supreme Court bench, is the greatest compliment ever paid to any *nisi prius* judge by the highest court of appeal, and no greater evidence of the ability and purity of Judge MacRae could be furnished.

Now, we appeal to the fair-minded people of this judicial district not to visit upon themselves a reproach, a stigma, by failing to give the endorsement of a renomination to one who has reflected such honor upon those who placed him where he now is. The people will be the gainers by keeping on the bench one who has had the experience of Judge MacRae, and who has been blameless and unspotted in his personal and official life; one who has won the enviable name of being a fair man and an upright judge—"an honest man the noblest work of God." S.

The State Superintendent of Education on Mrs. Spencer's First Steps in North Carolina History.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.
RALEIGH, May 14th, 1890.

Eds. Observer, Fayetteville, N. C.:

GENTS:—I have your letter of the 10th instant, referring to the action of the County Board of Education of Cumberland county relative to Mrs. Spencer's First Steps in North Carolina History, asking my position, etc.

1. The law requires the State Board of Education, which is composed of the State officers, to wit: Governor, Lieut. Governor, Treasurer, Auditor, Secretary of State, Attorney General and the Superintendent of Public Instruction, to recommend a series of text-books to be used in the public schools of the State. The law commands that these books so recommended shall be used in all the public schools of the State.

2. The State Board examined Mrs. Spencer's First Steps, and suggested a large number of corrections and additions. Messrs. A. Williams & Co., the publishers, indicate their intention to make the changes suggested, but as yet the book has not appeared in amended form, and the State Board has not placed it on the list of school books to be used in the public schools. Maj. Harrell, of Messrs. A. Williams & Co., has recently told me that the changes would be made.

3. If this book is used in any of the public schools it is without the authority of the State Board of Education, and against the wishes, I think, of every member of the Board.

4. The State Board made publication several times of the fact that this book was not on the State list, and they sent out the list of books which they recommended, published with the pamphlet copy of the school law. This pamphlet is in the hands, or ought to be, of committeemen and all other school officers in the State. On this list Mrs. Spencer's book does not appear. So I submit that the State Board has done what it could to prevent the use of this book, and I did not suppose it was used in the public schools.

5. Your County Board of Education passed resolutions still further to protect the people from the use of this book. I suppose, of course, they say that the book was being used or likely to be used in the public schools, and so their action was not only wise but timely.

6. For myself, I desire to say that I have been instant in season, and perhaps sometimes out of season, in trying to prevent the use of all books, but especially of histories, that failed to do the South justice, whether by omission or false statements. I have examined many histories before the war and since by Northern authors, and I have yet to find one that does not do the South great injustice, not only as to the late war but also as to Colonial and Revolutionary periods of history. Why teachers will use such books I cannot tell; why intelligent school officers will allow them to be used I cannot tell; why intelligent parents will allow them to be used I cannot tell. The men of this generation have it in their power to see that their history and the history of their fathers shall be fully and correctly written. It is a glorious history. From the beginning of our Colonial times down to the present, North Carolina history has been an object lesson at the point of the bayonet in defense of civil and religious liberty. Let us write our history correctly, and teach it to all the children.

7. I regard Mrs. Spencer's First Steps as a very improper book to be put into the hands of the children. It can never get my endorsement or that of the present Board of Education until it is revised in many particulars.

Very respectfully,
S. M. FINGER,
Supt. Pub. Inst.

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The Long-Leaf Pine—"The 'Old North State' Forever!"—Garland a Thriving Town.

For the Observer.]

GARLAND, N. C., May 26, 1890.

MESSRS. EDS:—Garland is one of the prettiest and most pleasant places on the line of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway—situated 37 miles from Fayetteville and 46 from Wilmington, on the sandy ridge between Black and South rivers, in one of the finest long-leaf pine sections of North Carolina.

There is a peculiarity in the long-leaf pine lands of Black and South rivers, distinguishing them from any other lands that I know of: I have noticed, in the pine lands of Cumberland and Moore counties, as well as in Georgia and Alabama, that, as a general thing, when the first growth of pine is worked in turpentine and cut off, the land grows up in oak or some other timber. But here it seems to be a natural pine land, as the old growth passes away, to be succeeded by another, then another; you can find here forests in all stages of development, from the giant old pine, as he has stood for centuries, to the young sapling just starting from the mast.

Garland is not only situated in this beautiful pine belt but, I will venture to say, in one of the healthiest sections of the United States. There is one thing I have been wishing to tell the young men who are not satisfied with their homes and surroundings, and who wish to seek their fortunes elsewhere: Mind you do not have to conclude as I have concluded, after trying it for several years in many States, that there is no place like eastern North Carolina.

Take Cumberland county—take Seventy First township: I do not believe that there is a grain of quinine in the latter, unless some physician has it. The people know nothing of the awful demon, chills, or of the burning thirst of fever. Without prejudice, I may say that I have lived in six States, suffering with chills and fever in every one except North Carolina. Keep your health, young man; don't poison your system with malaria, to entail suffering in after years. Come to Garland, where you will enjoy good health, drink pure water, and live among the best and truest people the sun shines upon.

Garland, I do think, will be the place of business between Wilmington and Fayetteville. Many have bought lots, and are building nice business-houses and residences. Situated as it is, Garland must control the trade of the South river (Cromartie) section of Bladen and that of the Lisbon and Ingold sections of Black river, besides that of the valleys of Big and Little Coharie and Six Runs. I expect to see Garland hold out its advantages to lumber and turpentine men; and, with its good people and so much river farming land to back it, it will become one of the nicest towns in North Carolina. G.

Hope Mills Items.

For the Observer.]

Hope Mills No. 1 has now a population of 502; we suppose No. 2 has about 275. These points are growing daily.

Mrs. Mary E. Gorman, of Hope Mills, died May 21st, 1890, aged 36 years, 4 months and 21 days. She was a native of England, and member of the Roman Catholic Church. She leaves a sorrowing husband and one daughter and a circle of friends to mourn her loss. Her funeral was preached by the writer to a large congregation. Mr. Sheetz, from Fayetteville, was present, with the politeness of a true gentleman, to see her properly laid away. J. G. FISHER.

Duplin Notes.

Reported for the Observer.]

KENANSVILLE, N. C., May 24, 1890.

MESSRS. EDITORS: — We had hoped, since the return of Mrs. N. H. Sprunt from Wilmington, that her little son, Robert Rankin, was growing stronger, and were surprised and pained to hear of his death, which occurred the 20th of May, just one year from his birth.

Prof. Grady passed through town Thursday on his way to Sampson to deliver the annual address before the Salem High School.

A musicale will be given by Miss Vollers at Warsaw this week, as a closing exercise of Prof. Meritt's school, and our Kenansville people will be entertained by the "Warsaw Dramatic Club" on the night of the 30th.

Mrs. Dr. Faison, of Goldsboro, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. M. Shaw.

Miss Lilly Friar was the successful competitor for the "Demorest Prohibition Medal" given at Magnolia last Thursday night.

We have no need of a jail, but as the law requires us to have one the commissioners have taken steps to erect a "nice" one, and Mr. Scott, of Goldsboro, is now laying the brick foundation.

Mr. James Archer returned Saturday from the Raleigh Stock Fair, bringing with him three beautiful Jerseys.

Miss J. Davis Blount, Miss Lucy Farrior, Miss Leila Williams and Miss Jennie Moore, after pleasant visits to friends, are again at home.

A Voice from Harnett.

For the Observer.]

EDS. OBSERVER:—With manifest approval Prof. Plummer has just called my attention to "North Carolina for North Carolinians," in your issue of May 8th. I hasten to thank you for the same, and beg to enlist under your "flag," since there will not be much "fighting," when North Carolinians will have been properly aroused to the importance of the matter in question.

The policy criticised has irritated our people for years, has alienated many from our public institutions, and has had no small influence in sending so many of our young men from the State. A small rural parish hard by, numbering on its roll of members not exceeding seventy-five, has lost in the last decade by removal thirty young men, fourteen of them now citizens of the trans-Mississippi country, some in South Carolina, Georgia, &c. Would not the State do well to establish a Bureau of Retention?

We cannot value too highly or honor too much worthy citizens from abroad, who as a matter of choice adopt our State as their own. Other things being equal, they should have our sympathy and support, at least as much as those who, like ourselves, had no option in the matter, and are North Carolinians because we were born here and couldn't help it.

The course of conduct complained of is as unjust to our adopted as it is to our native citizens. N. McK.

Roslin Items.

For the Observer.]

Crops are looking well, considering the dry weather.

Mr. Hamilton McMillan, of Red Springs, came in last Saturday on a visit to his parents.

Rev. Kenneth McDonald paid a visit to relatives. He preached for Rev. Mr. Black at Rockfish Presbyterian Church last Sunday.

J. F. Fisher is at home on a short visit from Shandon, N. C., where he is in school under that able instructor, Mr. Fuller.

Hope Mills Manufacturing Company is doing well under the management of Capt. S. H. Cotton, who is out and out a real business man. J. G. F.

THE LADIES DELIGHTED.

The pleasant effect and the perfect safety with which ladies may use the liquid fruit laxative, Syrup of Figs, under all conditions make it their favorite remedy. It is pleasing to the eye and to the taste, gentle, yet effectual in acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels.

SACRAMENTO, CAL. April 27, 1889.

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Agents for Radam's Microbe Killer:

Gentlemen—My son, fourteen years old, was cured with less than one gallon of Radam's Microbe Killer, after being given up by physicians as incurable, with enlargement of the heart. My wife was also cured of a severe bronchial trouble, after a failure on the part of physicians to relieve her. I consider it far superior to all known remedies.

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For sale by B. E. Sedberry & Son.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a *hopeless victim of consumption* and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle, and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use, and, after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at E. E. Sedberry & Son's Drug Store; large bottles 50c. and $1.00.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 27, 1888.

This is to certify that after taking one jug of Microbe Killer I was permanently cured of a severe attack of bronchitis and pulmonary inflammation, said illness having resisted all methods of medical treatment. I cheerfully recommend Wm. Radam's Microbe Killer as being more than is claimed for it.

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Wm. Timmons, postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine; made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town, says: Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies. He found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c. a bottle, at E. E. Sedberry & Son's Drug Store.

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The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

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SHILOH'S COUGH and Consumption Cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It cures Consumption. For sale at T. W. Broadfoot & Co.'s Drug Store.

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER, of Bourbon Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our liver to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." For sale at T. W. Broadfoot & Co.'s Drug Store.

WHY WILL YOU cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts., 50 cts., and $1. For sale at T. W. Broadfoot & Co.'s Drug Store.

FOR DYSPEPSIA and Liver Complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. For sale at T. W. Broadfoot & Co.'s Drug Store.

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SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—a positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria and Canker-Mouth. For sale at T. W. Broadfoot & Co.'r Drug Store.

FAYETTEVILLE MARKET.

N. C. BACON—		FODDER,	75
Hog Round,	9	HIDES—	
Sides,	10	Flint—good,	6
Hams,	12½	Flint—damaged,	5
WEST. BULK MEATS—		Dry Salt,	7
Sides,	6½	Green,	3
Shoulders,	5½	IRON—	
WESTERN BACON—		American,	3
Sides,	6½	Swedes,	5@6
Hams,	15	LARD—	
Shoulders,	8½	N. Carolina,	10
BAGGING,	11½@13	Western,	9
BEEF—		LEATHER—	
On foot,	3	Upper, country,	35@40
Dressed,	5@6	Sole, Hemlock,	25@27
BEESWAX,	18	Harness, c'ntry,	25@30
BUTTER—		MOLASSES,	25@40
North Carolina,	20@25	NAILS—	
Northern,	25@35	(12d basis),	2.60
COFFEE—		PORK—	
Java,	30	Fresh,	5@6
Rio,	22½@25	Mess,	(None.)
COTTON YARN,	85@95	POTATOES—	
COTTON TIES,	1.25	Sweet—new,	65
CHICKENS,	20@25	Irish—o	1.00
EGGS	13	SALT,	95
FLOUR—		SUGARS—	
N. C. Family,	3.50	Coffee,	7
West. Fam.,	5.00@6.00	Granulated,	9
CORN MEAL—	60	SHEETINGS,	5½
GRAIN—		SHUCKS,	50
Corn—new.	60	TALLOW,	5
Oats,	45	WOOL,	18
Rye,	90	SPIRITS—	
Peas,	75	CornWhisky,	1.75@2.00
HAY—		Rye Whisky,	1.75@3.00
N. Carolina,	40@60	Ap. Brandy,	1.75@3.00
Northern,	1 00	Peh Brandy,	1.75@3.00

Fayetteville Cotton and Naval Stores Market

Corrected by A. E. Rankin & Co.

Good Middling.....11
Middling.....11
Strict Low Middling.....10¼

Turpentine, $1.10 to $2.60 per barrel
NAVAL STORES.—Spirits 32½ cents.
Rosin was steady, prices ranging from 85 to 90 for common.

Wilmington Market.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 20, 4:00 P. M.

COTTON.—Cotton steady, with sales on a basis of 11¼ cents for Middling.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market steady at 34½ cents per gallon.

ROSIN.—The market quoted firm at 1.17½ cents per bbl. for Strained and $1.22½ for Good Strained.

TAR—Firm $1.25.

TURPENTINE (Crude) Distillers quote the market firm at $2.70 for Virgin, $2.35 for Yellow Dip and $1.25 for Hard.

MARLIN REPEATING RIFLES

MODEL 81 REPEATERS.
MODEL 89 REPEATERS.

THE LATEST. MODEL 1889.
MARLIN SAFETY REPEATING RIFLE
using the 32, 38, and 44 Winchester cartridges, having a SOLID TOP RECEIVER, Excluding all dirt or moisture from the lock.
LOADING AND EJECTING from the side, away from the face of the shooter. Weighing but 6¼ POUNDS, and a model of symmetry and beauty. Shoots with greater ACCURACY than any other. Don't buy until you see the MARLIN SAFETY MODEL, 1889.
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THE BALLARD still remains the best shooting rifle in the world.
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Send for Catalogue A, showing Sights and Rifles of latest design. ADDRESS,
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FOR ALL RIFLES, Pistols and Shot Guns.
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Over 200,000 in use. Every Tool Warranted.
May 29, 1890. 2m

REV. SAM. P. JONES
REV. J. B. HAWTHORNE
WHAT THEY SAY ABOUT
DR. KING'S ROYAL GERMETUER

The following is an extract from a letter written by the World Renowned Evangelist:

"I returned from Tyler, Texas, on the 12th inst. I find my wife has been taking Royal Germetuer on the GREAT UPBUILDING of her physical system. She is now almost free from the distressing headaches with which she has been for MARTYR for twenty-four years. Surely it has done wonders for her! I WISH EVERY POOR SUFFERING WIFE HAD ACCESS TO THAT MEDICINE."

Rev. J. B. Hawthorne, Pastor First Baptist church, Atlanta, Ga., was cured of a long standing case of Catarrh. His wife had been an invalid from nervous headache, neuralgia, and rheumatism FOR THIRTY YEARS, scarcely having a day's exemption from pain. After taking Royal Germetuer two months, he writes: "A more complete transformation I have never witnessed. EVERY SYMPTOM OF DISEASE HAS DISAPPEARED. She appears to be twenty years younger, and is as happy and playful as a healthy child. We have persuaded many of our friends to take the medicine, and the testimony of all of them is that it is a great remedy."

Dr. King's Royal Germetuer is a boon to women. It builds up the strength, increases the appetite, aids digestion, relieves them of the cause of disease, and insures health.

It is an infallible cure for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Paralysis, Insomnia, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Palpitation, Liver, Bladder and Kidney Diseases, Chills and Fevers, Catarrh, all Blood and Skin Diseases, Female Troubles, etc.

Prompted by a desire to reach more suffering people, the price has been reduced from $2.50 to $1.50 per concentrated bottle, which makes one gallon of medicine as per directions accompanying each bottle. For sale by the
ATLANTIC GERMETUER CO. Atlanta, Ga.
and by Druggists. If your Druggist can not supply you, it can be sent by express.
We send stamp for full particulars, certificates of wonderful cures, etc.
For sale by A. J. COOK & CO., Market Square, Fayetteville, N. C.
March 13, 1890. 1y

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WILMINGTON ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. C. STEVENSON & TAYLOE,
WILMINGTON, N. C.,
Wholesale Dealers in Fancy and Staple Groceries.
Correspondence solicited. Samples on application.
march 20. 1y

D. L. GORE,
NOS. 120, 122 AND 124 NORTH WATER STREET.
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Wholesale Grocer and Commission Merchant. Bottom prices to the trade. Consignments of Naval Stores, Cotton, Eggs, Chickens and other produce solicited. march 20—1y

JOHN J. HEDRICK,
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——WHOLESALE AND RETAIL——
Dealer in Fancy and Staple Dry Goods and Gents' Furnishing Goods. march 20—1y

WOODY & CURRIE.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Commission Merchants. Groceries, Provisions and Farm Supplies at Bottom Prices.
march 20. tf

WORTH & WORTH,
WILMINGTON, N. C.,
Importers of Genuine Cuba Molasses.
Wholesale Dealers in Groceries, Provisions, Salt, Lime, Cement and Farm Supplies.
Offer at all times a complete stock of Groceries, Provisions and Staple Supplies of every description, of the Best Quality and at the Lowest Prices. All goods shipped and fully guaranteed as to quality and price. March 13, 1890—tf

R. W. HICKS,
WHOLESALE GROCER,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Bacon, Lard, Flour, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Case Goods, Canned Goods, Cakes, Crackers, Tobacco, Snuff, Segars, Cheroots, Nails, Hoop Iron, Glue, Bunge, Hay, Corn, Oats, Meal, Grits, Baking Powders, Butter, Cheese, Candy, Starch, Salt, Hams, Vinegar, Shot, Powder, Caps, Buckets, Brooms, Twine, Peanuts, Nutmegs, Spices, Ladies' Favorite Flour. March 13, 1890—1y

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.,
Importers and Jobbers.
Our Hardware Department comprises an immense stock of General Hardware, including Guns and Cutlery of our own importation. Also a full line of
Patent Bottom Tinware.
Our Crockery Department comprises a large assortment of Glassware, Lamps, &c. Also the best make of English Earthenware, both plain white and decorated goods of our own direct importation. Merchants cannot do better anywhere in this country than by buying of us, as we defy competition and guarantee prices and goods. Therefore we ask for your patronage.
WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.,
Purcell Building, Wilmington, N. C.
March 13, 1890. 1y

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION.

NORTH CAROLINA, } In Office
CUMBERLAND COUNTY. } Clerk Superior Court.

Notice is hereby given of the incorporation of "The Little Creek Lumber Company;" that the names of the incorporators are George Young, Osmon Parker, Wilbur F. Parker, Charles B. Young and Alden Bowles and such others as they may associate with them; that the principal place of business shall be in Needmore, Cumberland County, N. C., and its general purpose and business is the manufacture and dressing of lumber out of pine timber and all other kinds of woods; that the duration of the corporation shall be thirty years; the capital stock is $20,000, divided into 200 shares of the par value of $100 each.

CHAS. G. CAIN
Clerk of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, N. C.
May 15, 1890. 6w

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that C. D. Williamson has this day qualified as administrator on the estate of W. R. Williamson, deceased; all persons due said estate are requested to make immediate payment. All persons having claims against the estate will present them on or before April 24, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

C. D. WILLAMSON, Adm'r.
apl 24, 1890. 6wpd

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION.

The Fayetteville Milling and Lumber Co.

NORTH CAROLINA, } Office of the Clerk
CUMBERLAND COUNTY. } of the Superior Court.

Notice is hereby given of the incorporation of the "Fayetteville Milling and Lumber Company;" that the names of the incorporators are F. S. Deming, W. W. Doughty and B. R. Taylor, and such other persons as they may associate with them. The amount of the capital stock of said corporation shall be ten thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, with the privilege of increasing the same to thirty thousand dollars ($30,000); and no shareholder to be individually responsible for the debts and liabilities of the corporation, and the duration of the corporation shall be ten years from the date hereof.

The principal place of the business of said corporation shall be Fayetteville, North Carolina, with privilege of establishing agencies or branches at such other places in North Carolina as may suit the business and needs of the corporation, and the general business of the same is to manufacture timber, wood and lumber, and to do all kinds of wood-work by machinery or otherwise; to make and sell sash, doors, blinds and any other wood work they may see fit or convenient to their business; to grind grain for toll, and to do a general wood manufacturing and milling business. CHAS. G. CAIN,
May 6, 1890.—4w] Clerk S. C.

North Carolina, Cumberland County. } In the Superior Court.

A. G. Thornton and others, Creditors of the late Neill McQueen *vs.* William McQueen, Adm'r., Caroline McQueen, widow, and S. A. McQueen and others, heirs-at-law of the late Neill McQueen.

Creditors' Bill.

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the late Neill McQueen of the institution of the above-entitled creditors' bill, and said creditors are required to make themselves parties to this proceeding and to file before me proof of their claims on or before June 17th, 1890, the return-day of the summons herein.

CHAS. G. CAIN, Clerk
Superior Court Cumberland County.
DUNCAN ROSE, for Plaintiffs.
April 28, 1890. 6t

TO TEACHERS.

At a meeting of the Board of Education, held at the office of the undersigned, on MONDAY, MAY 5th, 1890, the following was unanimously adopted: "Ordered that the Superintendent of Public Instruction be instructed to forbid the use of Mrs C. P. Spencer's 'First Steps in North Carolina History' and 'Goodrich's Histories of the United States' in the public schools of Cumberland County."

All the teachers of Cumberland County are hereby notified that the above-mentioned books are FORBIDDEN, and must not be taught in the public schools of this county.

H. McD. ROBINSON,
County Sup't of Public Instruction.
May 8, 1890. 4t

Littleton Female College.

Littleton Female College is in a highly prosperous condition and is one of the most successful schools in the State. It has a splendid location, a strong Faculty and is doing very thorough work. The Spring Term begins January 20, 1890.
Jan'y 16, 1890. tf

ADVERTISEMENTS. | ADVERTISEMENTS.

To my Friends and Customers.
THE LARGEST, HANDSOMEST AND CHEAPEST STOCK OF
Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Notions in the Market.
Just returned from the North with the best and cheapest stock of Goods ever exhibited to the public.
Please call at once and secure bargains at
GEO. BRANDT'S,
One Door West of People's National Bank.
Fayetteville, N. C., May 1, 1890. 3m

JOHN W. SCOTT, SR., President. J. B. MAKEPEACE, Sec'y and Treas'r.
SANFORD SASH AND BLIND COMPANY,
——MANUFACTURERS OF——
DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, MOULDING, BRACKETS,
and Dealers in all Kinds of Pine Lumber,
SANFORD, N. C.
Correspondence solicited and orders promptly filled.
May 1, 1890. tf

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TOWN AND COUNTY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ROSE & LEAK—New Goods.
W. J. MCDONALD, JR.—Wanted.
G. P. MCNEILL—Bank Statement.
W. C. MCDUFFIE, JR.—Ice Cold Drinks.
WM. LYMAN—Lyman's Patent Rifle Sights.
W. H. HOLLAND—Excursion to Wilmington.
MARLIN FIRE ARMS CO.—Marlin Repeating Rifles.
J. C. HAIGH, JR.—Statement Bank of Fayetteville.
IDEAL MANUFACTURING CO.—Ideal Reloading Tools.
S. H. MOWRY—United Banking and Building Company.
HEADQUARTERS OF THE NATIONAL GARMENT CUTTER COMPANY.
MRS. B. F. MILLER—Attention, Ladies of Cumberland County.

The Fife meetings are to begin in the Tabernacle here next Monday night, June 2nd. Everybody invited to attend.

South Carolina Represented.

The Bennettsville Light Infantry Company, a fine corps, Capt. McArn commanding, passed through here on Tuesday for Richmond, going by Greensboro.

Off for Oxford.

Doctors W. C. McDuffie, J. W. McNeill, J. A. Hodges and J. H. Marsh left Monday for Oxford, whither they go to attend the State Medical Convention in session there this week.

Excursion to Wilmington.

Hay Street M. E. Church Sunday school of this city will run an excursion to Wilmington on the 10th of June. Round trip fare has been placed at the low sum of $1.00, in order to give all an opportunity to go.

Colored Excursion.

Quite a large number of colored people came up from Wilmington and points along the line last Monday, and spent the day here—escorted down to the festival hall on Gillespie street by two resident brass bands.

Annual Address.

Hon. Geo. M. Rose, of this city, has been invited to deliver the annual address at the closing exercises of Marlboro Institute at Bennettsville, S. C., on the 12th of June. The audience on that occasion may be certain of a scholarly and entertaining effort.

Fife Meetings.

The Fife meetings are to begin next Monday night in the Tabernacle, and will continue several days. Great preparations have been made for the occasion, and many anxious prayers have gone up for a great outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon this community.

The Young Folks Enjoy Themselves.

The Boys Department of the Young Men's Christian Association, Mr. G. G. Harley commanding, advanced in full force as well as in hacks upon Rockfish village and factories last Saturday, and spent the day quite pleasantly in an old-fashined rural picnic.

Very Important Meeting.

The June meeting of the Board of County Commissioners and Justices of the Peace jointly here next Monday will be an interesting one. Besides the usual routine work, the Magistrates will have to select a Board of County Commissioners and levy taxes for the year 1890.

Still Furnishing a Good Proportion.

Of the total amount of naval stores received by all the railroad and steamboat lines at Wilmington on Friday, 23rd inst., the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway carried in 24 per cent. of the spirits of turpentine, 26 per cent. of the rosin and 67 per cent. of the tar.

The Prize Winners.

The Wilmington Light Infantry have almost as many congratulators(?) in Fayetteville as in their own city at their triumph in Charlotte last week—the winning of the $200 prize. It would require a good many fingers of a good many hands to count the friends of that fine corps up this way.

Lusus Naturæ.

We have been informed of a freak of nature in the recent birth, near Dunn, Harnett county, of a child with two heads, four eyes, two mouths, two busts and but two legs—all well-developed. That whole section is agog with curiosity, and hundreds flock daily to see this physical monstrosity.

Honors to the Independent Company.

Maj. J. A. McLauchlin, commandant, received last Monday from Capt. Cutcheon, of the Richmond Blues, an invitation to the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry, designating that command as part of the special escort of honor of "Lee Camp of Veterans," during the ceremonies in Richmond. This is an honor as gracefully tendered as it will be worthily worn.

Cleared Away.

The old depot shed of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway, north of Hay street, has been cleared way—making, for that part of the city, "its room better than its company" by a good deal. We are now so well "fixed" in the matter of a handsome, artistic passenger depot and ample, well-arranged freight warehouses that we hardly know how we got along with the unsightly structure which has just been removed.

Obituary.

Rev. J. E. Mann, in charge of the Methdist Church at New Berne, died in St. Louis on the 23rd inst., after a very brief illness, having gone to that city as a delegate to the Methodist General Conference. It was our good fortune to enjoy the friendship of the deceased during his pastorate of the Hay Street Methodist Church in this city, and to renew it later in Greensboro—and we have rarely known a more lovable man, one whose daily life shone more with the virtues of a true manhood and the graces of a spotless christian character. Two years ago it was evident to his friends that there was a decline in his physical strength—a fact thoroughly recognized by himself—but there was no falling away in his self consecration, no faltering in his self-sacrifice. His church will miss him and humanity will mourn him.

Mr. Andrew Murdoch, aged about 60 years, died at his home in Lexington county, S. C., on the 13th inst., after months of pulmonary illness and prostration. The deceased was long a resident of this place, dwelling in the house on Haymount now owned by Sheriff Smith, and was engaged at the Arsenal before and during the war, in the construction of which Wm. Murdoch, also well-known here, assisted in 1837. He was a native of Scotland, with the open, sincere characteristics of that people, which knit to him many steadfast friends. A widow, two sons and three daughters survive him, to whom our sincere sympathies are tendered.

We have heard with deep regret of the death at Tyler, Tex., on Tuesday, 27th inst., of our old friend and army comrade, Edwin Starr Cook, in the 43rd year of his age—a native of Fayetteville, but for 20 years a resident of Texas, occupying the position of Clerk of the District Court of Smith county in that State, for the second term, at the time of his death. He was a faithful Southern soldier, entering the army at the age of 17 years, as a member of Col. J. B. Starr's Battalion, Light Artillery.

John MacRae, a native of Fayetteville, son of the late Col. John MacRae and younger brother of Judge Jas. C. MacRae, died in Wilmington on Thursday night, 22nd inst., in the 49th year of his age. He was educated at the military schools of Yorkv , S. C., and Hillsboro, N. C., entering the Confederate service as a Lieutenant of the 20th N. C. Regt., and at the close of the war was adjutant of Col. J. B. Starr's Light Artillery Battalion. Mr. MacRae had resided in Wilmington for many years, where he was in the service of the Carolina Central Railway Company. Retiring in his habits and content with a quiet life—in which he was faithful to every obligation—he was warm in his affections, devoted to his friends and kindred, and honorable in his conduct and conversation. In his last illness he was nurtured by the ministrations of those he loved and who loved him. All the resources of medical skill and tender care were his, but of no avail; and he died in the communion of the church and in charity with all men. May he rest in peace until the final resurrection of the just.

Building and Loan Association.

The Fayetteville branch of the Southwestern Building and Loan Association of New Orleans was organized here last Friday evening by the election of the following officers: President, Dr. H. W. Lilly; Vice-President, W. N. Williams; Secretary and Treasurer, A. J. Cook; Attorney, H. McD. Robinson; Directors, Dr. J. A. Hodges, Z. W. Whitehead, T. A. Barker, J. C. Vann, Dr. H. W. Lilly, W. N. Williams and A. J. Cook. Mr. E. J. Fuller was appointed local agent.

Between two and three hundred shares have already been taken, and the number continues to increase. The Association has a branch office in Wilmington, and has given great satisfaction as well as worked many advantages to the stockholders, and we confidently expect the institution to work advantageously to Fayetteville.

The Fife meetings are to begin in the Tabernacle here next Monday night, June 2nd. Everybody invited to attend.

Athenæum Club.

The club met at 9 o'clock on Thursday evening last, Capt. Southerland, Vice-President, in the chair.

Mr. Rubinstien delivered an essay of great interest, for which he was complimented by a rising vote of the members of the club, after which Mr J. H. Myrover made a few remarks. Certain amendments were made to the constitution and by-laws, and, after the transaction of some routine business, the club adjourned to meet on Thursday evening, June 5th—the executive committee to formulate the order of exercises for that evening. At a meeting of this committee on Friday afternoon Mr. E. H. McKethan was selected to submit an essay, and Messrs. Andrew Broadfoot and Arch. McDuffie to read selections.

The 10th of June.

The Fayetteville surviving Confederate soldiers of the Battle of Bethel, which took place on the 10th of June, 1861, expect this year to observe their annual custom, and have a pleasant "outing" in celebration of that event, hoping to see with them on that occasion Hon. T. C. Fuller, Gen. W. G. Lewis, Col. F. W. Kercbner and others. How many, alas! of the Bethel participants have passed away: D. H. Hill, C. C. Lee, Avery, Hardy, Ashe, Benj. Huske, Lutterloh, McDuffie, John D. and James Huske, Dobbin, Palmer, Goldston, Roberts, McKethan—far more than 50 per cent. of all the old First Regiment have doubtless departed in the last twenty-five years.

Howard University.

We are indebted to B. H. Henderson, colored, for an invitation to the commencement exercises of Howard University, Washington, D. C., of which he is one of the graduating class of '90, delivering an oration to-morrow; "A potent Force in History." He is the son of an estimable colored citizen of Fayetteville, and we are glad to know that he bids fair to commence an auspicious career.

We also acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to be present at the closing exercises of the State Colored Normal School in progress this week.

SECOND ANNUAL CONVENTION.

Young Men's Christian Association of the Fifth District—Programme of Exercises.

The second convention of the Young Men's Christian Association commences its sessions here to-day, beginning at 3:30 P. M., and continuing through Sunday evening, 1st prox., a full report of which will appear in our next issue. The following programme embraces the order of exercises complete:

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

3:30. Song service—F. H. Cota, Greensboro.
4:00. Service of Prayer for the manifestation of the Holy Spirit—G. M. Busey, Wilmington.
4:15. Bible reading—Rev. W. J. Erdman.
5:00. Introductions.

THURSDAY NIGHT.

8:15. Devotional exercises—Rev. C. W. Byrd.
8:30. Address of Welcome—G. P. McNeill. Response—P. B. Manning, Wilmington.
9:00. Address—W. G. Burkhead, Whiteville. Appointment of committees on permanent organization and business.

FRIDAY MORNING.

9:15. Praise services.
9:30. Bible reading—Rev. W. J. Erdman.
10:15. Reports of committees; organization.
10:30. How can we derive most benefit from the Convention?—L. A. Coulter.
11:00. What can the pastor do to aid the work of the Association?—Rev. J. M. Clark, Red Springs.
11:30. How to lead a meeting—J. L. McLean, Floral College.
12:00. A model Bible-training class—Wm. Black, Maxton.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

3:00. Song service.
3:15. Bible Reading—Rev. W. J. Erdman.
4:00. Women's Auxiliary—G. M. Busey, Wilmington.
4:30. Secular agencies—W. M. Little, Wilmington.
5:00. Secular agencies; practical demonstration (class drill).
5:30. Boys' work—(*a*) Its importance—E. A. Heartt, Durham. (*b*) How to do it—E. F. McRae, Maxton.

FRIDAY NIGHT.

8:15. Praise service—Rev. W. B. Oliver.
8:30. Opportunities for young men through the Association—Rev. P. H. Hoge, D. D., Wilmington.
9:00. Claims of the State Work—W. P. Fife.

SATURDAY MORNING.

9:15. Devotional Exercises.
9:30. Bible reading—Rev. W. J. Erdman.
10:15. Written reports from Associations.
10:45. The work of our District—G. G. Harley and others.
12:00. How and when Associations should be organized—L. A. Coulter.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

3:00. Song service.
3:15. Bible reading—Rev. W. J. Erdman.
4:00. Question Drawer—Thos. C. Diggs, Goldsboro.
4:30. The Association a means of harmony among Christians—J. S. Allen, Wilmington.
5:00. Business session.

SATURDAY NIGHT.

8:15. Song service.
8:30. Claims of the Association upon business men—N. A. McLean, Lumberton.
9:00. How can the Association reach non-church-going members—W. B. Malloy.

SUNDAY.

9:00 A. M. Consecration meeting.
4:00 P. M. Men's meeting.
" " Ladies' meeting.
" " Boys' meeting.
8:00 " Devotional exercises.
8:30 " Spiritual work for young men the culminating and crowning work of the Young Men's Christian Association—Rev. T. P. Barclay.

North Carolina Bessemer Company.

The North Carolina Bessemer Company is among the latest institutions of Western North Carolina, in which Fayetteville capitalists are interested. The organization of the company was perfected at Carrstown, McDowell county, last week by the election of Mr. Julian S. Carr, of Durham, as President; A. H. Slocomb, Secretary; J. C. McCaskill, Treasurer; with the following Board of Directors: A. McQueen, J. S. Carr, Sam Wiley, J. J. Newman, O. H. Blocker and Wm. Black.

The company has purchased 4,000 acres of land situated on both sides of the C. C. C's. Railroad and has options on an additional tract containing about two thousand acres, the major part of which, our informant tells us, is heavily timbered, besides possessing valuable mineral deposits. The company has employed Prof. Phillips, the mineralogist and mining expert. The capital stock of the company was placed at $200,000. Another meeting is to be held at Carrstown on the 11th inst., when all the parties interested will be present. It is considered the finest mineral property east of the Mississippi, and at the June meeting measures will be adopted for the speedy development of the property.

Death of Mr. Anderson Elliott.

Mr. C. M. Lawrason, a well-known citizen of the Little River Academy section, has favored us with a copy of the Galt (Ontario) *Reporter*, in which we read the announcement of the death of Mr. Andrew Elliott. The deceased resided for some time in this city, the guest of Mrs. A. J. Smith, in the hope of restoration to health through the influence of our salubrious climate, and, with his amiable wife, made many friends here. He was a native of Scotland, whence he emigrated to Canada in 1834, and was an influential "man of affairs" up to the outbreak of the war between the States. His positive character naturally led him into an active participation in political affairs, and for years he was a strong supporter of the Conservative party in his government. Mrs. Elliott will have many warm sympathizers in Fayetteville in her bereavement, which she shares with two sons, John Elliott, of Almonto, Ont., and Andrew, of Michigan.

A Startling Experience.

Rev. M. V. McDuffie, pastor of the Baptist Church in Brunswick, N. J., a native of this city—in whose talents and honored position in the pulpit the people of Fayetteville have cause to feel great pride—underwent a novel experience last Thursday night in the stoning of his residence by a disorderly crowd. Mr. McDuffie has recently been delivering a series of very powerful sermons animadverting on the doctrines of the Roman Catholic Church, and to this fact the outrage has been attributed. We are glad to know that Mr. McDuffie announces that he shall not be deterred in following his convictions of duty, and also that the intelligent Catholics of Brunswick disavow utterly any sympathy with the perpetrators of the act of lawlessness.

The Census.

Mr. C. P. Lockey, of Wilmington, Supervisor of Census for the Third District of North Carolina, has now appointed his enumerators, 146 in all, in the different counties—part of which list will be found below. The work is to begin on the first Monday in June, and is to be completed—for cities of 10,000 and over—in two weeks from that time; enumerators in rural districts have until July 1st to complete their work.

Bladen County.—Jno. S. Cain, Monroe Hester, Bruce M. Roberts, Alexander McDonald, Rob't L. Bryan, Jas. K. Melvin, Alfred Atkinson, Daniel Leonard, Jno. J. Bright, Rufus Register, John Newell, Dan'l M. Sutton, Wm. T. Pridgen.

Cumberland County.—John C. Currie, Hector M. Pate, Simeon Godwin, Warren Carver, Allen A. McCaskill, James M. Jessup, John C. Blocker, Miss Ethel Wicker, William M. Monroe, Malcolm N. Monroe, William W. McDougald, Robert M. Orrell, Thomas H. Williams.

Duplin County.—Harold E. Blackmore, Richard W. Boyette, Kinsey Jones, Henderson Jones, John F. Maxwell, LaFayette Smith, Parker D. Robbins, Caleb D. Bradham, Scott Stanford, Franciscus H. Kissner, Sickles O. Beaman, Abraham R. Middleton.

Harnett County.—David O. Harrington, John McLeod, Charley Rich, George W. Turner, Allen B. Godwin, Frederick H. Thomas, Duncan Darrock, Rob't L. Green, Cornelius Hodges.

Moore County.—David S. Barrett, Dan'l C. McKinnon, Thomas B. Burns, Kenneth C. Horner, Joseph M. Burns, John Godfrey, Alexander Crook, Thaddeus D. McLean, John W. Kelly, James L. Currie, Daniel H. Cox, Joseph K. Perry, Charles W. Foushee.

Mr. Fife at High Point.

Evangelist Fife returned home Tuesday from High Point, at which place he has just closed another glorious revival. Several hundred people heard him day and night, and the Lord abundantly blessed his labors. The stores closed twice a day during the meetings, and the number of conversions ran up to about two hundred, embracing all classes, from the highest to the lowest and the richest to the poorest. Two hundred dollars were raised for a suburban church, a Young Men's Christian Association organized with 130 active members, and a purse of $500 raised to prosecute the first man who hereafter sells liquor in the town; also a club of 200 anti liquor men, whose duty it is to see that no more whisky is to be sold there. High Point, it will be remembered, is a "dry" town, the charter prohibiting the sale of it within the corporate limits.

At the close of the meeting a purse of $500 was presented to Mr. Fife as a token of their appreciation of his valuable services.

Military for Richmond.

The Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry, under command of Maj. John A. McLauchlin, left Tuesday night for Richmond to take part in the unveiling of the R. E. Lee monument—37 strong. The list of officers and men is as follows:

Maj. John A. McLauchlin, Captains Jno. C. Vann, John B. Broadfoot, J. C. Huske, and Messrs. E. L. Pemberton, Benj. R. Huske, J. W. Tomlinson, Sam'l Widdifield, A. J. Pemberton, Jno. Underwood, Jno. G. Shaw, Chas. Pearce, E. H. Eubanks, Jas. Vann, Jno. McRae, Z. B. Newton, Willie Glover, Archie Campbell, J. N. Emmit, W. W. Huske, N. B. Alexander, E. Gorham, Geo. Wightman, Ed. McKethan, Jas. Hollingsworth, Jacob Schlossberg, Robt. Holland, Leighton Huske, Robt. Haigh, Benj. Costin, S. H. Strange, Chas. McLauchlin, Thos. Whitted, George Burns, Archie McIver, drummer.

"Music Hath Charms."

The "Menagerie" will soon organize a brass band here, the first practice to take place on Thursday night, June 5th, with J. B. Underwood, Jr., leader, John D. Williams, Jr. (2), assistant. The following will compose the band:

Irvin Overbaugh, Archie Wightman, Eugene Gorham, Davie Woodard, Jacob Schlossberg, Ernest Eubanks, Arthur Williams, Jr., J. G. Hollingsworth, Clarence Fisher, James White.

The Scotch-Irish Society.

The organization of the Scootch-Irish Society was perfected in Charlotte on the evening of the 20th inst., with Dr. Geo. W. Graham as President. Prof. Alex. Graham was made Secretary and Treasurer; and in the list of delegates to the national Scotch-Irish Congress, which met in Pittsburg, Pa., yesterday, we notice the names of such prominent citizens as Col. C. W. Broadfoot, of Fayetteville, Hon. Chas. M. Stedman, of Wilmington, Prof. Hamilton McMillan, of Red Springs, and Messrs. W. W McDiarmid and Thomas A. McNeill of Lumberton.

Got Him Down Fine.

The Jonesboro *Leader* says of Capt. J. B. Smith, High Sheriff of Cumberland county:

The Scotch are proverbially the best people in the world, and the Cape Fear section of North Carolina (as it is called) is peopled with them.

Of the present Sheriff of Cumberland county, we will only say that he is a chief among them. What better can be said? His friends love him, and his people are proud of him. He would not hurt a caterpillar, except in the discharge of his duty; *then* he would tackle an African lion, or a horde of devils.

Brother Murchison must have had Sheriff Smith to sit for his pictur'.

Lynching in Johnston County.

John Starling, a man of notoriously bad character, living near Selma, Johnston county, was last Saturday afternoon seized on the road, in the presence of his wife and an officer who had him in custody, was dragged by a rope around his neck into the woods, and his body riddled with bullets. Starling had been that day put under bond to keep the peace, on account of threats against the life of a neighbor, and was on his way home, by permission of the magistrate, for the purpose of getting his bond fixed, when his death took place. He was tried for the murder of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Cenia Brown, and her little grandson, last November; and, although he was not convicted for lack of evidence, it is generally believed that he was guilty, and that the testimony was not forthcoming against him on account of the terror which he inspired in the community.

Personal Penclings.

Mr. A. D. Black made a flying trip to Wilmington Monday.

Mr. J. C. Jackson, a prominent business man of Moore county, spent Sunday in the city.

Miss May Broadfoot, a lovely young pupil of Salem Female Academy, has returned home to spend vacation.

We are glad to see Mr. Leighton Huske back at home—to take a position in the hardware house of Messrs. B. R. Huske & Co.

Miss Ida Poe left for Richmond on last Monday to visit her brother, Mr. Hugh Poe; also to attend the unveiling of the Lee Monument.

Mr. T. A. Barker, accompanied by his daughters, Misses Belle and Gracie, left Tuesday for Campo Bello, where they will spend the summer. We shall miss them all, but especially will Miss Belle Barker's departure be a deprivation to social and musical circles.

Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy will Cure Skin Eruption.

I, the undersigned, do certify that our babe, at the age of three months, was taken with a breaking out or skin eruption, which baffled the skill of our finest physicians for two years, and never did get relief until I used Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy, and one half bottle made a final cure. W. S. ROACH.

Coxville, Pitt Co., N. C., June 20, 1888.

Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy will Cure Dyspepsia.

I, Josephus Latham, of Greenville, N. C., take pleasure in adding a word of commendation of Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy. Mrs. Latham had the dyspepsia very badly, and the use of this Remedy proved wonderful in its effects, and after using a few bottles her health vastly improved. J. LATHAM,

Supt. Pub. Inst. Pitt Co., N. C.

June 20, 1888.

My Remedy is now put in plain, round, pint packing bottles, no name blown. The carton holding bottle is now printed altogether in black ink instead of black and red as heretofore; my signature on each label is now written with pen and ink, instead of lithographed as formerly. Every label and carton numbered, as in physicians' prescriptions. The Wash packages are printed altogether in black ink and numbered. Persons buying the Remedy should see that the new style is furnished them, as I cannot guarantee any other to be genuine. MRS. JOE PERSON,

Kittrell, N. C.

☞ This Remedy is for sale by Fayetteville Druggists.

MARRIED.

GREEN—CARVER.—In this place, on the 28th inst., by Rev. T. P. Barclay, Mr. ALLEN A. GREEN, of Wilmington, to Miss ELLA KATE CARVER, of Fayetteville.

☞ Wilmington papers please copy.

COXE—McPHERSON.—At the home of the bride, near Jonesboro, N. C., May 22nd, 1890, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Rev. J. P. McPherson, Mr. HILLIARD S. COXE, of Guilford County, N. C., and Miss MARGARET LOUIS MCPHERSON, daughter of the officiating clergyman.

DIED.

MCRAE.—At his home, in the western part of Cumberland, of consumption, on the 11th of this month, Mr. MARTIN MCRAE, aged 38 years. Again has the angel of death laid the hand of affliction on this most estimable family, who but a few months since buried their dear mother; and many times in the past few years have they been sorely bereaved, but not without that sweet consolation of knowing that "it is well with the departed." On a lovely Sabbath morn, at sunrise, oh! what a fit time to be ushered into the celestial city. Communion services at his church (Bethel Presbyterian) that day, which he hoped to attend, but to a more perfect communion than any of this earth, was he of the joyful number.

NEIGHBOR.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

EVERY WEEK

ROSE & LEAK receive **NEW GOODS** to freshen up and replenish their stock.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

SEASONABLE WHITE GOODS, EMBROIDERIES, LACES, FRINGES, BELTS, SLIDES, LAWNS, CAMBRICS, &c., &c., recently arrived.

ROSE & LEAK would call attention to the **ALVA AND CENTIMERI KID GLOVES—these are the best.**

A large assortment of LOW-CUT SHOES for men and ladies at about one-half the former price to close out.

Rose & Leak's One Price Cash System is still very popular. Experience proves to everyone that there is no better time to pay for an article than the moment of purchase.

Respectfully,

ROSE & LEAK.

May 29, 1890. 1t

HEADQUARTERS

—OF THE—

∴National Garment Cutter Company∴

I take this opportunity of informing the readers of THE OBSERVER and public generally that the headquarters of the National Garment Cutter Company in Fayetteville, for the present, will be in the building formerly occupied by Mr. Garrett's Job Printing Office (up stairs) on Hay street. Lessons will be given in the tailor's rules and measurements reduced, simplified and made so plain that any one can cut coats, dresses, pants, children's clothing, and in fact anything worn by men, women and children. To cut, fit and make garments of every description that will conform to the prevailing fashion and fit perfectly is a most desirable attainment, and yet this is just what we guarantee.

May 29, 1890. tf

"Attention, Ladies of Cumberland Co."

DR. MCGILL'S Orange Blossom cures and is worth its weight in gold to any suffering girl or woman. By addressing Mrs. B. F. Miller, Defiance, N. C., and enclosing a 2 cent stamp, ladies of Cumberland County will receive free of charge, a sample box of this valuable remedy, Dr. McGill's plain talk to the ladies, and full particulars, as over ten thousand ladies in North Carolina alone have tested the merits of this wonderful cure, and many of them have requested that their names be given for reference. Those who wish to enquire can easily be convinced that whatever the failures of the past have been, we have in Orange Blossom a permanent and entirely safe cure for the stubborn forms of female weakness which have so baffled the skill of our best physicians, and held the mothers and daughters of our land prisoners in their iron grasp.

A lady agent wanted for each township in the county. Address MRS. B. F. MILLER,

Defiance, Randolph Co., N. C.

May 29, 1890. 3m

WANTED!

500 gallons of pure, strained honey—to be delivered immediately—for use in the preparation of my cough remedy.

W. J. MCDONALD, JR.,
N. W. Corner Market Square,
Fayetteville, N. C.

May 29, 1890. tf

TO THE LADIES!

A. J. PEMBERTON & CO.

Have taken the agency for the

Celebrated Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine, No. 9,

and all are cordially invited to call at their Book and Music House, Friday, May 23rd, (morning and afternoon) to witness an exhibition of beautiful work by Mr. G. R. Lervy, Southern Agent of the Wheeler & Wilson Machine Company.

May 22, 1890.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

EXCURSION

To Wilmington, June 10th, 1890.

Hay Street Methodist Sunday School will hold their Anniversary Picnic at

WRIGHTSVILLE, Tuesday, June 10, 1890.

The public are invited to join the Excursion to Wilmington.

$1.00 Round Trip Tickets.

To Wrightsville 25 cents extra.
To Carolina Beach 50 cents extra.

W. H. HOLLAND, Sup't.

May 29, 1890.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The People's National Bank,

AT FAYETTEVILLE,

In the State of North Carolina at the close of business May 17, 1890.

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts,	$231,270 61
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured,	1,770 00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	32,000 00
Stocks, securities, judgments, claims, etc.,	136 00
Due from approved reserve agents,	7,050 81
Due from other National Banks,	15,374 02
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures,	6,886 79
Current expenses and taxes paid,	2,332 17
Premiums on U. S. bonds,	1,600 00
Checks and other cash items,	655 73
Bills of other banks,	438 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents,	150 59
Specie,	1,249 00
Legal tender notes,	7,700 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation),	1,440 00
Total,	$310,053 72

LIABILITIES:

Capital stock paid in,	125,000 00
Surplus fund,	32,000 00
Undivided profits,	4,806 37
National Bank notes outstanding,	28,800 00
Dividends unpaid,	70 00
Individual deposits subject to check,	74,819 02
Time certificates of deposit,	140 47
Cashier's checks outstanding,	258 00
Due to other National Banks,	246 79
Due to State Banks and bankers,	2,080 54
Notes and bills re-discounted,	41,832 53
Total,	$310,053 72

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, } S. S.
COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND, }

I, G. P. McNeill, Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. P. McNEILL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of May, 1890.

JNO. B. BROADFOOT, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:

GEO. BRANDT,
F. W. THORNTON,
E. F. MOORE,
Directors.

May 29, 1890. 1t

UNITED Banking and Building Co.

The United Banking and Building Company of Richmond, Va., is now in our city organizing a local branch. This institution deserves the patronage of our citizens.

Its objects are: 1st, to furnish money at reasonable interest rates to those who wish to get themselves homes or to build for city improvement; 2nd, to furnish a safe investment to those who wish to lay by a few dollars per month. The profits on such investments are large, owing to the constant compounding of the money invested.

The officers of the U. B. & B. Co. are solid business men, well known in the financial circles of Richmond.

The subscribed capital of the Company is over $600,000.

Now is the time to get a home or to invest your savings at a handsome dividend

For particulars call on or address the General Agent, S. H. MOWRY, at Hotel LaFayette.

May 29, 1890. 1t

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

BANK OF FAYETTEVILLE,

At Fayetteville, N. C., in the County of Cumberland, at the close of business on the 17th day of May, 1890.

RESOURCES:

Loans on Real Estate,	$ 1,200 00
All other loans and discounts,	395,333 66
Overdrafts,	1,500 00
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages,	2,277 26
Due from Banks,	30,211 83
Banking House,	6,000 00
Other real estate,	1,896 60
Furniture and fixtures,	2,000 00
Current expenses,	1,898 45
Cash items,	5,092 58
Gold Coin $175; Silver Coin $16,251.31,	16,426 31
National Bank notes,	4,626 00
United States Notes,	10,000 00
Total,	$478,463 69

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock paid in,	$ 300,000 00
Undivided profits,	13,727 64
Deposits subject to check,	145,359 38
Due to Banks,	11,476 67
Notes and bills rediscounted,	5,000 00
Demand certificates of deposit,	2,900 00
Total,	$478,463 69

I, John C. Haigh, Jr., Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN C. HAIGH, JR., Cashier.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, }
COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND, }

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of May, 1890. GEO. G. MYROVER, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:

J. D. WILLIAMS,
H. W. LILLY,
E. J. LILLY, JR., } Directors.

May 29, 1890. 1t

EXCURSION RATES

—TO—

RICHMOND!

May 29th, Unveiling of the Lee Monument.

ROUND TRIP TICKETS TO RICHMOND, VA.,

will be on sale at the following Low Rates,

Over the Atlantic Coast Line,

FOR INDIVIDUALS:

One-First Class Limited Fare $7.80.

FOR MILITARY,

In Uniform, and Perfected Organizations of

Confederate Veterans,

IN BODIES OF TWENTY (20) OR MORE,

$4.55.

H. WALTERS,
GENERAL MANAGER.

May 22, 1890. 2t

Fayetteville Foundry and Machine Shops!

JOHNSON & MCNEILL, Proprietors,

are fully equipped with all necessary machinery and ready to serve the public in the way of repairing

ENGINES, BOILERS, PUMPS, SAW AND GRIST MILLS, COTTON GINS, PRESSES AND ALL KINDS OF MACHINERY.

All work guaranteed to give satisfaction. Call or write the undersigned for prices, &c.

JOHNSON & MCNEILL,
MACHINISTS,
Fayetteville, N. C.

May 15, 1890. 6m

GO TO McDUFFIE'S DRUG STORE

FOR ICE COLD DRINKS.

HE IS USING EVERY EFFORT TO DISPENSE THE NICEST DRINKS OF THE SEASON.

Soda Water, any flavor; Milk Shakes, Pine Apple, Lemon and Orange Sherberts; Moxie, Malto, Ginger-Ale, Limeades and many others.

Ice Cream Soda every day.

W. C. McDUFFIE, Jr.

May 29, 1890.

THE MERCHANT MILLS

—BY—

J. D. McNEILL & CO,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,

are prepared to furnish you at cash prices with

CORN,
MEAL,
FLOUR,
SHIP STUFF,
FEED,
GRAIN, BRAN, &c.

Consult your interest and get their figures before buying.

May 8, 1890. tf

"H. H. H."

STOVES.

WE ARE SELLING A CHEAP LINE OF

COOKING STOVES,

WHICH ARE GIVING SATISFACTION.

Call or write to us if you are in need.

We will give you low prices.

WE ARE STILL SELLING LOTS OF

Sash, Doors and Blinds,

AND WILL RECEIVE ANOTHER CAR LOAD IN A FEW DAYS.

Nails, Lime and Hair,

Laths, Shingles, &c., &c.

B. R. HUSKE & CO.

May 22, 1890.

SEASONABLE.

—MILKSHAKE, SODA WATER, LIMEADE, —MOXIE, Etc.

Arline Bouquet Cologne.
Florida Water, Lubin's and Atkinson's Extracts—a variety of odors.
Cashmere Bouquet, Pear's "4711," and other celebrated brands of Fine Toilet Soaps.
Anti-Cephal-Algine, the great headache and neuralgia remedy.

A. J. COOK & CO.,
DRUGGISTS,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

May 8, 1890.

Oxford Roast Turkey and Chicken.

Lunch Tongue; Potted Tongue and Ham.
Lobster and Salmon.
Grated and Sliced Pine Apple.
Seneca Apples.
Dry Smoked Beef.
Sugar Cured Hams, Strips and Shoulders.
Lea & Perrin's Worcestershire Sauce.
Piccadilly Sauce.
Shrewsbury Mayonnaise, for dressing all salads.
N. C. Roe Herring; Corned Herring and other fish.
Sweet and Sour Pickles.
A fresh lot of Plain and Sweet Cakes.
Green and Black Tea; Sugar and Coffee.

Such goods as we sell will bear close inspection both in price and quality.

FREE DELIVERY.

A. S. HUSKE, Ag't.

May 22, 1890.

For Sale Low Down.

Handsome Residence, 6 Rooms, all out houses, with vineyard, best water and 5 acres of good land. Also 7 beautiful building lots adjoining, on high elevation. City property advancing. Now is your time for a home or speculation. Also other desirable property for sale. For further particulars call on or address A. H. WATSON,

Auctioneer and Commission Merchant,
April 17, 1890 38 Market Square, City

NOTICE.

The Annual Meeting of the Justices of Cumberland County will be held at the Court House on MONDAY, JUNE 2nd, at 11 o'clock A. M.

The election of a Board of Commissioners and other important business will come before this meeting, and it is desirable that there should be a full attendance. W. S. COOK,

May 15, 1890.—4m] Chairman.

Is Money Scarce?

We are led to doubt the oft-repeated assertion that "money is scarce in this section," when we remember our experience in past spring seasons and realize that we are doing a fine business this spring. Trade is really good with us, and we wish our friends to continue to help us "keep the ball in motion." Our stock was never so attractive before, nor were prices as low on

Fine Clothing

as are our figures for the present season. The every-day expressions of pleased customers attest the fact that such pretty and

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as we show excels any stock heretofore brought to Fayetteville. Those who have not seen our goods should at once avail themselves of the opportunity, and if you will favor us with an early call we promise that you shall not be disappointed.

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"The Fayetteville Clothiers."

April 24, 1890. tf

Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley R'y Co.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., May 22, 1890.

This Company will sell round trip tickets to Salem, N. C., May 29th, 30th, 31st and June 2nd and 3rd, good returning until June 5th inclusive, for $6

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Miss Jenny B—— was born for me,
And I was born for Jenny,
For any other Miss I see
I hardly care a penny.
Two turtle doves you never saw
So fond of one another,
And yet my rapture hath a flaw—
My Jenny hath a brother!

A child of eight, or under that;
Of manners inoffensive,
You rarely find so young a brat
With knowledge so extensive.
For him two syllables are naught,
He laughs at long division;
He says his lessons, as he ought,
With laudable precision.

Due reverence for me he shows;
He greets me as a "mister,"
The clever boy—I know he knows
I love his pretty sister.
It may be chance—and yet I see
That more than chance is in it,
He never leaves Miss B—— and me
Together for a minute.

I cannot heave the tender sigh
With any satisfaction
While such an incubus is by
To mark my every action;
I cannot bend the supple knee,
And "pop" the tender question:
The very thought of Number Three
Forbids the soft suggestion.

We never meet, we never talk,
But those two eyes espy us;
We never strive to steal a walk
But Number Three is nigh us.
In such a sad and sorry plight,
Perhaps it would be better
To plead my suit in black and white,
And register the letter.

Failure to Feed the Farm.

"I understand that you are selling a portion of your farm."

"You have been misinformed: I never had even a thought of doing so."

This question and answer passed between two neighbors, whereupon the former told the latter that in selling 250 bushels of corn he had parted with $45 or $50 worth of plant-food which was part of the soil, and that he had let another valuable part go by allowing liquid manure to run off into a ravine. To this the latter replied: "That is so, but I never viewed it in such a light before."

The articles which exhaust the soil most are the grains, hay, milk, cheese, muscle, bone, hair and skins of animals, while fat, butter and the vegetables exhaust the soil least. One cannot make constant drafts upon the soil, and return nothing, without impoverishing it. The worn-out farms of New England speak loudly in confirmation of this, and other sections are falling into the same bad practice. On hosts of farms in central New York which used to grow excellent wheat it is difficult now to raise half a crop, the soil being nearly exhausted of the wheat elements. Year by year the fertility has been sold, and not much has been returned.

"But what shall I do?" Feed on the farm the most of the grain and hay that you grow; and, if you sell any, buy its manure-making equivalent in other forage, and feed it out. But the trouble does not cease here: there is a great waste of the little manure that is made. During heavy rains liquid manure can be seen running out of most of the barn-yards in all its richness. It is unnecessary to suggest how to make and save manure, for all know that, though few do it; in fact, I know few persons who make and economize manure as they might.

Unless this saving of plant-food is systematized, and conducted intelligently and persistently, our worn-out farms will soon compete for poverty prizes with those of New England—some of them do now. Let every farmer bear in mind that he is impoverishing his land unless he returns to it as much as he takes from it.

Cows and Calves.

New York Tribune.]

I speak from many years' experience in raising cows when I recommend that they be bred to come in at two years old. It is barely possible that the animal may not attain as great weight at maturity as if bred to come in at three years old, but even this I am inclined to doubt, for I believe it simply makes them a little longer in getting their growth; but even if the size should be reduced a little, what does that matter? Great size is not what we want in a cow, but a developing of the milk and butter qualities—and it is wise to begin this early. A good heifer which comes in at two years old has more than half paid the cost of her raising at three, while the animal kept until that time without a calf has cost double.

Watch Your Potatoes.

Country Gentleman.]

If you find that your potatoes are rotting take a large two-horse plow, straddle the row, plough well to the left and about two inches under the potatoes, whop them upside down, and let them lie there until you wish to market them or put them away for winter. Any potato that is sound (even with white specks on it) will keep perfectly in this inverted furrow. I have saved my whole crop more than once by this method. If you pull a few out by the vines catching on the plow pick them up, but leave the potatoes in the furrow covered with earth; do not put them in piles or cellars, for this is no preventive of rotting.

Grow Them at Home.

We buy not only potatoes and other farm products from Northern farmers that we can successfully raise ourselves, but we are indebted to the same source of supply for even our field and garden seeds, which could doubtless be grown as profitably in North Carolina as anywhere in the world. We need a seed farm in this State from which our farmers could obtain their supplies, and the day will come when such farms will be established all over the Southern States. It is an enterprise that would prove remunerative if properly conducted, and why should it not be established now?

To Prevent Hens from Flying Over.

New York Herald.]

The hen always alights on the top of the fence before going over. To prevent her from finding a lodging-place on the fence stretch a wire about six inches from the top and on a line with it, fastening a strip to the inside of each post for the purpose. The wire should be on the inside of the fence, parallel with the top, as we have said, and six inches above it. When a hen attempts to fly over she strikes the wire, and is thrown back.

What Interested Teddy.

Architect (displaying the plans)—Here is the front elevation with the outside window and circular gallery; this is the east elevation, showing the oriel tower.

Teddy (immensely interested in the new house)—And where are the two mortgages pa said he was going to put on?

Careful of His Health.

Gentleman—I won't give you a cent. I handed you a quarter yesterday, and saw you enter a saloon a minute afterward.

Tramp—You did, sir. My physicians have ordered me to always drink before meals, and I follow their instructions.

Women, like poker players, raise the blind to see what the neighbors have got.

This month is called May because it may rain or it may not.

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Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

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May 8, 1890—tf] for the Factory.

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FROM THE CHRISTIAN ADVOATCE.

Mr. A. E. Hawkes has gained a national reputation as a practical optician, and his celebrated specacles and spring eye-glasses are known throughout the United States. We are writing this article with a pair of his new crystalized lenses, and they seem to us as transparent as light itself; and with them the finest print is as clear as in youth.—*Editor Christian Advocate.*

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READ THE CERTIFICATES.

From *Virginia Medical Monthly* (September number, 1889) Landon B. Edwards, M. D., editor and proprietor, Richmond:

"*THE NOLANDINE COMPANY*, of Richmond, Va., begin an advertisement in this issue of preparations which have received the highest kind of professional endorsements for the cure of chills and fever, functional liver troubles, etc. The virtues of the drugs named seem to rest in the special manner of their combination. During a recent visit to the laboratory we were courteously shown every detail of the manufacture."

I have used your vegetable preparation, "*NOLANDINE*," and find it a valuable agent in the treatment of functional diseases of the liver. Its action on that organ and all secreting glands is equal to that of calomel, and to my mind, the only yet discovered substitute for this time-honored remedy. It is, further more, entirely free from constitutional effects too often observed from the use of mercurials; and, in many cases, where mercurials have been incautiously administered, I have witnessed the beneficial results of "*NOLANDINE*," in eliminating and modifying the most distressing after symptoms. I will add, in regard to your Fever and Ague Preparation, that I prescribed it for my mother, who had been a sufferer from chills and fever for twelve months. She had taken quinine until it had ceased to have any effect on her. One-half bottle of my *NOLANDINE* for chills and fever relieved her entirely of the chills and restored her to good health.

I cheerfully recommend a trial of *NOLANDINE* to the profession, believing that it will stand their test Very truly yours, *A. TRENT CLARKE, M. D.*

The very high character of the testimonials attesting the merits of your vegetable preparation, *NOLANDINE*, induced me to make a test of your *NOLANDINE* proper in a very desperate case of Hydrothrax [dropsy of the chest], combined with Ascitics [dropsy of abdomen]. The usual remedies known to our profession had been most skilfully administered without producing anticipated effects. The diseases yielded to the action of your *NOLANDINE*. I very gratefully state that my patient is now enjoying the blessings of a restoration to good health, and now, four months since administering your *NOLANDINE*, there is not a symptom of recurrence.

I had several opportunities of testing the merits of your *NOLANDINE* for chills and fever in cases which had resisted the usual remedies for months, and had the satisfaction to see them entirely broken and permanently cured after a course of your *NOLANDINE*.

I know that I will incur the displeasure of the profession by departing from its usages, but candor and facts compel me to call the attention of my professional brethren to the valuable properties of your preparation, and trust that prejudice will not deter them from its use. I have found the action of your *NOLANDINE* on the liver and secretions more than equal to calomel, which is an additional recommendation.

Very respectfully, *A. G. JONES, M. D.*

409 EAST CLAY STREET, RICHMOND, VA., April 19, 1887.

J. W. Johnston, Proprietor of Nolandine:

During the last twelve months I have had frequent opportunities of testing the curative properties of your *VEGETABLE NOLANDINE* in the following diseases, and in not a single case did it fail to accomplish all that you claim for it: Dyspepsia and other catarrhal affections of the stomach and bowels, catarrhal affections of the kidneys and bladder, *uterine catarrh* and irregularities, malarial complications and habitual constipation, and as a general tonic and alterative, I have found it very efficacious.

Yours truly, *JAS. A. GARLICK, M. D.*

IRWIN P. O., GOOCHLAND, VA., August 1, 1889.

To the Nolandine Company, Richmond, Va.:

From personal experience I can very cheerfully recommend *NOLANDINE* for all it claims, and, in this opinion, I am borne out by others who have tested its merits.

Yours truly, *G. H. PALMER MOREWOOD.*

TAYLORSVILLE, HANOVER COUNTY, VA.

The Nolandine Company, Richmond, Va.:

Gentlemen—I have been a great sufferer from blood poison, which caused large sores to come all over my legs and feet, so that I could hardly wear my shoes, when I received a bottle of *NOLANDINE* from a friend. I began using it at once, and in less than ten days it had cured me completely. I think it the best remedy in the world. I am yours very respectfully, *WM. M. TERRY.*

To the Nolandine Company: June 1, 1889.

Permit me to add my testimony to the curative properties of *NOLANDINE*. For many years I have suffered from varicose veins. Twelve months ago I struck my leg against a chair, breaking one of the veins. The wound thus made could not be healed, except for a short time, then break out afresh. At times I suffered untold misery from local fever and most insufferable burning sensation. After using two (2) bottles of your *VEGETABLE NOLANDINE* the ulcerated places healed, the swelling disappeared, natural sleep was restored, and my nervous system composed. As a vermifuge, *NOLANDINE* is highly recommended specifically on one of my children. As a blood purifier and general tonic your *NOLANDINE* has no equal. Gratefully yours, *D. B. PROSSER.*

At S. S. Cottrell's Son, 1302 Main Street, Richmond, Va.

RICHMOND, VA., October, 1886.

My wife and three children returned to this city from Charles City County, where they contracted chills and fever, and their systems thoroughly saturated with malarial poison. One bottle of *JOHNSTON'S VEGETABLE NOLANDINE* cured my entire family. My wife suffered for five years with dyspepsia in its most aggravated form, and was permanently cured by *VEGETABLE NOLANDINE*, using only two bottles. *J. B. BURTON.*

RICHMOND, VA., July, 1889.

This is to certify that I have known of the superior qualities of JOHNSTON'S VEGETABLE NOLANDINE for the past ten years, and during that time, at intervals, have had occasion to use it in person, and in my family, and have always found it a sure cure for derangements of the liver and kidneys, indigestion, headache, etc., and a good tonic. L. C. DAVIS, 804 North Fifth Street.

ROBIN'S STATION, CHESTERFIELD CO., VA., March 25, 1885.

Mr. J. W. Johnston:

Dear Sir—Having suffered for years with a chronic affection of the kidneys, derangement of the liver and my general system charged with malarial poison, I found no relief from treatment of medicine until I used VEGETABLE NOLANDINE. I am now free from above complaints, and to NOLANDINE I am indebted for this restoration to health. I honestly recommend it to all persons suffering from the above diseases. WILLIAM DICKSON, Superintendent of Coal Mines,

RICHMOND, VA., May, 1885.

I can cheerfully recommend JOHNSTON'S VEGETABLE NOLANDINE to any one suffering from liver or kidney complaints and bilious derangement of the system. Its prompt and permanent action in my case affords me pleasure to recommend it to others similarly affected.

CHARLES P. SELDEN, Hardware Merchant,
Formerly with Singer Sewing Machine Co.

409 EAST CLAY STREET, RICHMOND, VA., March 10, 1886.

Mr. Jos W. Johnston:

Dear Sir—I have used your NOLANDINE, and would cheerfully recommend it as a valuable medicine for malarial diseases and for promoting appetite, and a splendid tonic. For the relief of the pains consequent upon female weakness and irregularities I consider it without an equal.

Respectfully, MRS. L. M. BELL.

OFFICE CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILWAY COMPANY,
RICHMOND, VA., March 1, 1885.

I lived on lower James River for eight years in the malarial district. My sytem was thoroughly charged with this deadly poison. I exhausted the usually prescribed and domestic remedies without any benefit. I was induced to try JOHNSTON'S VEGETABBE NOLANDINE. Before using two bottles my liver was aroused from its long torpor, and I am now enjoying the best of health. My wife and children derived the same benefits from NOLANDINE. J. A. WYATT.

FLEET, KING AND QUEEN CO., VA., January 31, 1887.

I was afflicted with chills and fever during the fall of last year. I could stop them with quinine, but they wouldn't stay stopped; they would return the 7th, 14th, 21st, or 28th days. A friend gave me a part of a bottle of NOLANDINE, and I used it according to directions, and I have not had a chill since. I am in good health and weigh as much or more than I ever did. E. S. WILSON.

509 NORTH EIGHTH STREET, RICHMOND, VA.

Mr. Johnston:

Dear Sir—Your NOLANDINE has quite come up to all its promises. So valuable do I consider it as a family medicine that, unsolicited by yourself, I offer my certificate.

Yours truly, MRS. E. F. PATTON.

RICHMOND, VA., July 13, 1887.

J. W. Johnston, Proprietor Nolandine:

Dear Sir—I have taken your NOLANDINE for habitual constipation of eight years' standing, during which time I have tried many preparations, but I did not receive any relief until I used your preparation, from which I have received immediate and permanent benefits. Was also suffering with malarial and blood poison. I am now free from all such complications and, I am happy to say, enjoying exceptionally good health.

Yours truly, J. B. DOWDEN.

412 EAST BROAD STREET, RICHMOND, VA.

J. W. Johnston:

I feel it but just to recommend your valuable medicine, NOLANDINE, for any trouble caused by torpid liver, or constipation produced by morphine or any drug used to subdue pain. As a tonic for delicate females it is unsurpassed.

The above you are heartily welcome to use any way you deem best, and I will personally tell any one what it will do on application. Respectfully, MRS. A. E. ANTHONY.

RICHMOND, VA., October 1, 1889.

To whom it may concern:

For twelve months I was a fearful sufferer from chronic eczema, during which time I was in the hands of a most skillful physician, faithfully using his remedies, internal and external, without deriving any benefit whatever. I suffered night and day with the most intolerable itching, continuous headacoe, loss of sleep, appetite and strength. My kidneys and nervous system were fearfully deranged, and my body was covered with innumerable boils. By taking three (3) bottles of JOHNSTON'S VEGETABLE NOLANDINE I have been restored to perfect health. I regard NOLANDINE as the best blood purifier and the most powerful tonic ever compounded, and I am not alone in this belief.

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Our wheat supply is from the farmer direct; this being the heart of the winter wheat section. No elevator mixtures to contend against insures absolute purity and uniformity in our product. Coal banks at our mill door makes fuel a mere nominal cost. No expense for traveling men. The above are important factors in the production of not only good flour but at the same time at reasonable prices. We seek the trade of prompt paying customers. Such we will strive right hard to please, and hope to make it an object to deal with us. Orders through

JOHN UNDERWOOD & BRO.,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,
AGENTS FOR EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA.

April 17, 1890.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Bank : of : Fayetteville,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,

Does - a - General - Banking - Business.

RECEIVES DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO CHECK.

Collects Notes and Drafts

Payable here and at all Banking Points in North Carolina,
AT REASONABLE CHARGES,
and remits promptly for all collections.

CAPITAL STOCK, - - $300,000.00.

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J. D. WILLIAMS, Pres.,
H. W. LILLY, Vice Pres.,
J. C. HAIGH, JR., Cashier.

Fayetteville, N. C., October 8, 1889.—1y

CAPE FEAR & YADKIN VALLEY RY CO

CONDENSED SCHEDULE.

In effect May 18th, 1890.

NORTH BOUND.

	Daily Except Sunday. No. 1.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 3.	Daily Exep. Sunday. No. 15.
Leave Wilmington,	9:40 a m		
Arrive Fayetteville,	1:45 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	2:15 p m		
Leave Sanford,	3:53 p m		
Arrive Greensboro,	6:40 p m		
Leave Greensboro,	7:10 p m		
Leave Walnut Cove,	8:43 p m		
Arrive Mt. Airy,	10:45 p m		
Leave Bennettsville,		8:20 a m	
Arrive Maxton,		9:35 a m	
Leave Maxton,		9:45 a m	
Arrive Fayetteville,		11:45 a m	
Leave Franklinaville,			6:55 a m
Arrive Greensboro,			9:25 a m
Leave Greensboro,			10:10 a m
Arrive Madison,			12:35 p m

SOUTH BOUND.

	Daily Except Sunday. No. 2.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 4.	Daily Exep. Sunday. No. 16.
Leave Mt. Airy,	5:45 a m		
Arrive Greensboro,	9:15 a m		
Leave Greensboro,	9:50 a m		
Leave Sanford,	12:33 p m		
Arrive Fayetteville,	2:10 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	2:40 p m		
Arrive Wilmington,	6:45 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,		3:30 p m	
Arrive Maxton,		5:20 p m	
Leave Maxton,		5:30 p m	
Arrive Bennettsville,		6:45 p m	
Leave Madison,			1:40 p m
Arrive Greensboro,			4:00 p m
Leave Greensboro			4:40 p m
Arrive Franklinsville,			7:30 p m

W. E. KYLE,
General Passenger Agent.

J. W FRY, General Superintendent.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE,

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.

AND BRANCHES.

Condensed Schedule.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated May 11, 1890.	No. 23, Daily.	No. 27, Daily.
Leave Weldon	12 30 P. M.	5 43 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	1 46 "	.....
Arrive Tarboro	*2 30 P. M.	.....
Leave Tarboro	10 20 A. M.	.....
Arrive Wilson	2 20 P. M.	7 00 P. M.
Leave Wilson	*2 30 "	.....
Arrive Selma	3 40 "	.....
Arrive Fayetteville	6 00 "	.....
Leave Goldsboro	3 15 "	7 40 "
Leave Warsaw	4 10 "	.....
Leave Magnolia	4 24 "	8 40 P. M.
Arrive Wilmington	5 50 "	9 55 P. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 14. Daily.	No. 78, Daily.
Leave Wilmington	12 01 A. M.	9 00 A. M.
Leave Magnolia	1 21 "	10 34 "
Leave Warsaw	.....	10 48 "
Arrive Goldsboro	2 23 A. M.	11 45 "
Leave Fayetteville	.....	*8 40 A. M.
Arrive Selma	.....	11 00 "
Arrive Wilson	.....	12 10 P. M.
Leave Wilson	3 03 A. M.	12 37 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	.....	1 10 "
Arrive Tarboro	.....	*2 30 "
Leave Tarboro	.....	10 20 A. M.
Arrive Weldon	4 30 A. M	2 45 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.

Train on Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 3:15 P M, Halifax 3:37 P M, arrive Scotland Neck at 4:25 P M, Greenville 6:00 P M. Returning, leaves Greenville 7:20 A M, arriving Halifax at 10:10 A M, Weldon 10.30 A M, daily except Sunday.

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday, Local Freight leaves Weldon 10:30 A M, Halifax 11:30 A M, Scotland Neck 2:00 P M. Arriving Greenville 5:10 P M. Returning, leave Greenville Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 9:30 A M, Scotland Neck 1:00 P M, Halifax 3:35 P M. Arriving Weldon 4:00 P M.

Train leaves Tarboro, N C, via Albemarle & Raleigh R R Daily except Sunday, 4:05 P M, Sunday 2:00 P M, arrive Williamston N C, 6:30 P M, 4.30 P M, Plymouth 7:50 P M, 5:20 P M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6:00 A M, Sunday 9:00 A M, Williamston, N C, 7:10 A M, 9:58 A M. Arrive Tarboro 9:30 A M, 11:20 A M.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N C, Daily except Sunday, 6:00 A M, arrive Smithfield, N C, 7:30 A M. Returning, leaves Smithfield, N C, 8:00 A M, arrive Goldsboro, N C, 9:30 A M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 3:00 P M, arrives Nashville 2:40 P M, Spring Hope 4:15 P M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 10:00 A M, Nashville 10:35 A M, arrive Rocky Mount 11:15 A M, daily, except Sunday.

Train on Clinton branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, Daily, except Sunday, at 6:00 P M and 11:10 A M. Returning, leaves Clinton at 8:20 A M and 3:10 P M, connecting at Warsaw with Nos 41, 40, 23 and 78.

Southbound Train on Wilson & Fayetteville Branch is No 51. Northbound is No 50. "Daily except Sunday.

Train No 27 South will stop only at Rocky Mount, Wilson, Goldsboro and Magnolia.

Train No 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North daily. All rail via Richmond, and daily except Sunday via Bay Line.

All Trains run solid between Wilmington and Washington, and have Pullman Palace Sleepers attached.

J. R KENLEY, Sup't Trans. JOHN F. DIVINE, General Sup't.
T. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Passenger Agent.

Carolina Central Railroad Company,
Change of Schedule.

WESTBOUND TRAINS.

June 2, 1889.	No. 41. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 51. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 5. Daily ex. Sunday.
L've Wilm'g'n	2.20 p. m.	7.30 p. m.	
L've Hamlet	6.45 p. m.	2.00 a. m.	
L've Wad'boro	7.20 p. m.	3.15 a. m.	
A've Charl'te	9.35 p. m.	6.10 a. m.	
L've Charl'te			4.15 p. m.
L've Lincoln'n			5.51 p. m.
L've Shelby			6.57 p. m.
Ar've Ruth'f'n			8.20 p. m.

EASTBOUND TRAINS.

June 2, 1889.	No. 38. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 54. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 6. Daily ex. Sunday.
L've Ruth'f'n			8.00 a. m.
L've Shelby			9.22 a. m.
L've Lincoln'n			10.30 a. m.
Ar've Charl'te			12.05 p. m.
L've Charl'te	5.15 a. m.	8.30 p. m.	
L've Wad'boro	7.08 a. m.	11.28 p. m.	
L've Hamlet	8.20 a. m.	1.45 a. m.	
Ar've Wil'm'n	12.30 p. m.	7.45 a. m.	

Trains Nos. 41 ank 38 make close connection at Hamlet, between Charlotte and points North via Raleigh.

Trains Nos. 51 and 54 make close connection at Hamlet, to and from Raleigh.

Through Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Charlotte and Wilmington and Raleigh.

T. W. WHISNANT, Superintendent.
W. F. Clark, General Passenger Agent.